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TO

THE HONORABLE HENRY AYERS, M.L.C.,

CHIEF SECRETARY,

&c., &c., &c.

Chief Secretary's Office, Adelaide, 13th July, 1867.

Sir—

In presenting the "Statistical Register of South Australia for the year 1866," I have the honor to submit the following *resumé* of the principal facts disclosed in the accompanying voluminous tables, for the information of His Excellency the Governor-in-Chief, being in continuation of the annual reports heretofore published illustrative of the progress of the Province, and bringing under review, in a condensed form, and with brief explanatory remarks, such statistical information as chiefly bears upon the social state and material condition of the community.

POPULATION.

The usual quinquennial census was taken on the 26th March of the past year, and exhibited a larger number of persons resident in the Province than was shown in the estimated population returns, compiled from the statements of births and deaths, and of immigration and emigration by sea. It is only by a census that the effects of migration across the border can be ascertained, and in this instance, the balance of arrivals over departures by land was in favor of South Australia.

The results of the census, however, form the subject of a separate volume now in the press, and shortly to be issued in a complete form; but from tables published within a few weeks of the enumeration, it appeared that the total population on the night of the 25th March, 1866, was 163,452 persons, of whom 85,334 were males, and 78,118 females. From that date to the close of the year, the increase of population by the excess of immigration over emigration (by sea) was 2,335 persons, and the addition by excess of births over deaths during the same period, was 3,366 souls, making a total population on 31st December last, of 169,153 persons—88,272 males, and 80,881 females. The total increase since the date of the census, a period of nine months, was therefore 5,701 persons—2,938 males, and 2,763 females.

In forming a comparison with the preceding year, the addition to the population during the whole twelve months must be taken, and which amounted to 6,849 persons, 3,434 males, and 3,415 females, the natural increase having been 4,029 persons, 1,933 males, and 2,096 females; and the balance of arrivals over departures by sea, 2,820 persons, 1,501 males, and 1,319 females. The increase in population from all sources during 1866, was therefore less by 2,415 persons than in 1865, when the rate of increase was six and a-quarter per cent., whilst the rate during the past year was slightly under four and a-half per cent. In 1864 the increase amounted to five per cent., and in 1863 to three and three-quarters. The augmentation was therefore below the average of the three preceding years, namely, five per cent.

BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES.

The natural increase of the population during the year 1866, amounted to 4,029 souls, or 469 less than in 1865, attributable to a greater mortality, as the number of births exceeded those of the previous year by one hundred and ten.

Six thousand seven hundred and eighty-two children were born in 1866 (as compared

pared with 6,672 the year before), 3,470 being boys, and 3,312 girls. The birth-rate was therefore 41 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with 45 in 1865, and 44 per thousand in 1864.

Many more deaths were recorded in 1866 than in the preceding year, namely, 2,753, as against 2,174, or an increase of 579. The rate of mortality in the year 1866 was 17·5 per 1,000 persons, in comparison with 14·8 in the preceding twelvemonths, but was only 1·1 higher than the rate shown in 1863. The average death-rate in this Colony may be taken to be 16·5 per 1,000 persons living at the commencement of the year.

With regard to the sexes, 1,537 males died, as compared with 1,220 in the previous year, and 1,216 females as against 954, showing an increase of 317 of the former sex, and of 262 of the latter.

Out of 2,753 deaths, more than one-half, or 1,548, were deaths of children under five years of age, being nearly the same proportion as last year.

The mortality among infants was also great, being fifty per cent. of the total deaths, as compared with forty-eight per cent. in 1865; the actual number of deaths of infants under two years of age being 1,385 and 1,041 respectively. During the preceding five years the deaths in this class ranged from 1,024 to 1,041 annually, with the exception of the year 1864 (scarlatina being then prevalent), when the number reached 1,214, or 171 fewer than last year.

The usual nosological table showing the causes of death during each of the past eleven years, presents important particulars as to the prevalence of epidemics, and in connection with the monthly returns, will hereafter be esteemed of the highest value.

There was a diminution of 137 in the number of marriages, 1,299 only being solemnized as compared with 1,436 in 1865; with that exception, however, they were more numerous than in any previous year.

IMMIGRATION AND EMIGRATION.

The total addition to the population from the excess of immigration over emigration by sea amounted to 2,820 persons, of whom 1,501 were males and 1,319 were females. From this source, in 1865, our number was augmented by 4,766 persons, 2,649 males and 2,117 females, being a greater number than had been recorded during either of the preceding ten years—fourteen immigrant vessels having arrived, landing 4,625 souls. The decrease in 1866, as compared with the previous year, is therefore considerable, amounting to 1,946 persons, 1,148 males and 798 females. It is true, only ten immigrant ships arrived during the course of twelve months, bringing 3,891 persons, or 734 less than in 1865; but there was contemporaneously an increased emigration, amounting altogether to 4,135 persons, or 432 more than in the previous year.

During 1866 the number of immigrants at the public expense was 3,891, or 1,071 more than the net gain by immigration from all sources; in the preceding year the net gain by immigration exceeded the number of Government immigrants by 141 souls.

The following table shows the general immigration and emigration by sea; the balance of arrivals over departures; together with the number of immigrants introduced at the public expense, during the past ten years:—

Years.	Immigration.			Emigration.			Excess of Immigration over Emigration.			No. of Immigrants at the Public Expense.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
1857.....	5,262	2,876	8,138	3,205	1,704	4,909	2,057	1,172	3,229	2,422	1,543	3,965
1858.....	4,826	3,029	7,855	2,499	1,110	3,609	2,327	1,919	4,246	1,894	1,659	3,553
1859.....	2,910	1,959	4,869	2,271	1,380	3,651	639	579	1,218	913	1,098	2,011
1860.....	3,109	1,265	4,374	3,444	1,458	4,902	335*	193*	528*	492	480	972
1861.....	2,181	946	3,127	1,243	834	2,077	938	112	1,050	18	3	21
1862.....	2,091	1,139	3,230	1,787	898	2,685	304	241	545	281	330	611
1863.....	2,685	1,549	4,234	2,022	870	2,892	663	679	1,342	811	688	1,499
1864.....	3,720	2,238	5,958	1,776	900	2,676	1,944	1,338	3,282	1,459	1,188	2,647
1865.....	5,318	3,151	8,469	2,669	1,034	3,703	2,649	2,117	4,766	2,692	1,933	4,625
1866.....	4,400	2,555	6,955	2,899	1,236	4,135	1,501	1,319	2,820	2,252	1,639	3,891
Total	36,502	20,707	57,209	23,815	11,424	35,239	12,687	9,283	21,970	13,234	10,561	23,795

*Excess of Emigration.

The aggregate arrivals during the ten years comprised in the above return numbered 57,209; and the departures from the Colony 35,239, showing a balance of arrivals over departures of 21,970 souls. During the same period, 23,795 Government immigrants were introduced, or 1,825 more than the net gain by immigration, and equal to eight per cent of the Government immigration.

This loss, however, chiefly resulted during the first five years of the decade. The balance

balance of arrivals over departures during that period amounted to 9,215, the number of Government immigrants being 10,522, showing a deficiency of 1,307 persons, or twelve and one-half per cent. During the five years ending with 1866, however, the number of Government immigrants was greater by four per cent. only than the net gain from the excess of immigration of both classes over emigration. The arrivals exceeded the departures by 12,755, whilst the Government immigration amounted to 13,273 persons, showing a deficiency of 518 persons during the last five years.

PUBLIC WORSHIP.

No less than thirty-one new places of worship are returned by the several religious denominations as opened during the year 1866, compared with six in the preceding year. The additional accommodation thus provided was 7,973 sittings. The aggregate number of churches and chapels is 492, with seats for 91,816 persons. In addition thereto, 153 rooms were temporarily used for religious services, capable of accommodating 6,361 persons; so that the total number of places of worship used during 1866 would be 645, with sittings for 98,177 persons, or equal to every man, woman, and child in the Colony of fourteen years of age and upwards, supposing all to attend simultaneously. The number of private rooms, or other temporary places of worship, was twenty less than in 1866, owing to the abandonment of many preaching stations in the north, and to the rapid substitution of more appropriate buildings. The following figures show the advancement made during the last three years:—

	1864.	1865.	1866.
Number of churches or chapels	455	461	492
" sittings in ditto	79,595	83,843	91,816
" rooms used, &c.	180	173	153
" sittings in ditto	7,621	6,507	6,361
Total number of places of worship	635	634	645
" sittings provided	87,216	90,350	98,177
Sunday schools	382	384	398
Sunday-school teachers	3,254	3,484	3,807
Sunday scholars	23,087	23,739	25,914

It will be seen from the above table that the extension of Sunday schools is progressing favorably, the total number in connection with the various religious denominations now being 398, with 3,807 teachers, of whom 1,873 were males, and 1,934 females, and the total number of scholars being 25,914, of whom 12,829 were boys, and 13,085 girls; showing an increase over the preceding year of 14 schools, 323 teachers, and 2,175 scholars. The increase in the number of teachers and scholars was greater than had been recorded in any previous year.

EDUCATION.

The return of the number of children attending schools licensed by the Board of Education, shows an increase of thirteen schools, or five per cent.; and of 1,010 scholars, or 7·4 per cent., as compared with the year 1865.

The total number of schools open was 292, and the average number of scholars on the roll, boys 8,160, and girls 6,530, together 14,690; of whom 11,472 on the average were in attendance, or seventy-eight per cent. of the number on the roll. The average number of scholars belonging to each school was fifty against forty-nine; and the average attendance thereat thirty-nine, and thirty-eight in the respective years; a slight improvement on former returns. The above figures relate to the position of the schools in the month of October, the period of the year when attendance is most regular; the number attending varies considerably each month, and the average for the year is less than the number above given.

The proportion of the sexes remains the same as before—namely, of boys 55·5 per cent., and of girls 44·5 per cent. of the total scholars. As respects the ages of scholars, little improvement is shown—the period of school life being much too limited to enable scholars to obtain more than a rudimentary education. Children of six years and under formed 28·5 per cent.; of seven to ten years, 51 per cent.; of eleven to twelve years, 13·5 per cent.; and of thirteen years of age and upwards, only seven per cent. of the whole number.

The education grant is chiefly beneficial to the sparsely peopled districts. Out of 14,690 scholars, 1,509 only were at licensed schools within the city; 1,316 in other corporate towns; 11,865 being in the country districts.

There are now no less than sixty-eight school-houses throughout the country, held in trust for purposes of education—these have been erected by private subscription, supplemented from funds voted by Parliament, to the amount of £12,864.

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The financial statement shows £14,662 to have been paid as stipends to teachers, or an average of £1 1s. 5½d. for each scholar. The greatest number of destitute children in attendance was 1,191, for whose schooling the Government paid the sum of 18s. 6¾d. each.

The total amount of school fees received by the teachers from parents, &c., was £14,622, giving an average of 19s. 2½d. for each scholar. The total cost of each child's education during 1866, is stated to average £2 0s. 8d.; and the expense of each licensed school to have averaged £61 1s. 11d. It is estimated that, including private schools, one in 7·7 of the population is receiving education.

The total expenditure by the State for educational purposes during the past decade, has amounted to £170,137—the sum expended last year being £21,683 sterling; these amounts including the grants to the several Mechanics' Institutes.

CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

During 1866, medical relief was afforded to 1,257 patients in the Adelaide Hospital, or to 111 more than in 1865; at the beginning of the year there were 137 patients in the building—98 males, and 39 females; which number was increased by the end of the year to 143—97 males, and 46 females. The total number admitted during the twelve months was 1,120, compared with 1,031 in 1865; and the daily average number in the Hospital was 138, or 17 more than last year—of these 95 were males, and 43 females; whilst the daily number of the former sex has increased during the past four years from 71 to 95—the average number of female patients has remained at 43. In a total number of 1,257 cases treated, 885 patients were discharged cured; 105 were relieved, and 124 died—93 males and 31 females. The average duration of stay of patients in the Institution was in acute diseases from seventeen to nineteen days; and in chronic cases, from eighty-one to eighty-five days. With regard to the various forms of suffering, reference must be made to the very full returns given in the detailed tables which show the number of cases in each class of disease, whether male or female patients, the result of the treatment, and the number of inmates on the first and last days of the year, classified under each particular ailment.

The slight improvement in the returns from the Lunatic Asylum, noticed last year, has not been continuous, the records for 1866 showing a large increase in the number of admissions, a reduction in the number of patients discharged, and a consequent augmentation of the number of inmates at the close of the year.

On the 1st of January there were 108 male and 87 female inmates—together, 195; on the 31st of December there were 224 inmates, 125 males and 99 females—or 17 more of the former sex and 12 of the latter, than on the same day in the previous year. The daily average number of patients was 206, as compared with 195; 88 cases were admitted in lieu of 63; and 43 discharged, either cured or relieved, instead of 50; the number of deaths, 16, was the same in either year. During the twelve months, 283 patients were under treatment, as compared with 262 the year before. Only 17 out of 224 inmates remaining in the Asylum at the close of the year were in a position to repay a portion of the cost of their maintenance, all the other patients being supported entirely at the public expense.

The returns relating to destitution are of a very unsatisfactory character, exhibiting an unusual number of claimants for relief at the hands of the State.

The statement of the average number of destitute poor supported or relieved by the Government, exclusive of patients in the Hospital and Lunatic Asylum, is divided into two classes—in-door and out-door cases.

Only aged and infirm persons, or sick and deserted children are, as a rule, admitted into the Asylum, and numbered 233, as compared with 178 last year. The additional number of inmates was 55, consisting of 42 males, 22 being adults, and 20 children; and of 13 females, of whom 7 were adults, and 6 children. The increase in the year preceding was 32—20 males and 12 females, so that the additional claimants for *permanent* support during the past year were confined to the male sex, and, in relative number, not greater than has been before recorded.

Turning, however, to the statement of the number of recipients of out-door relief throughout the Province, it is lamentable to find that more than twice the amount of elemosynary aid was required than in the previous year, and that irrespective of distinction in age, nationality, or sex. The total average number of outdoor cases was 1,144, 566 males and 578 females, as against 526 cases in the previous year—249 males and 277 females, showing an increase of 618 cases. It is specified that all the male adults were

were relieved in consequence of sickness; their average number was 104, or 55 more than last year. The average number of adult females was 135, or 84 more than last year. Many of these are women who have been deserted by their husbands, and, with their children, requiring partial relief.

In commenting upon the rapid increase in the number of destitute children and orphans, in my last report, when there appeared an addition of 156 over the previous year, or about one-third more, I adverted to the want of industrial schools or similar institutions in the more populous districts, where these children could receive the care and attention at present necessarily withheld. Now, however, that during the course of a single year, the number has increased two-fold; when, instead of 500, there are over 1,000 children, on the average, receiving support from the State, the increased attention now being devoted to this subject will be considered as well-timed. The returns this year show 1,007 destitute children, of whom 525 were boys, and 482 girls; last year 512 children, of whom 253 were boys, and 259 girls; all (except 102 at the Government Free School), distributed in various localities throughout the Province. £1,100 was expended by the Education Board in remunerating licensed teachers for the instruction of children whose parents were unable to pay the customary school fee.

During 1866, the amount expended by the State on charitable institutions, irrespective of cost of buildings, was £32,026, or twice the sum paid three years ago. It was divided among the three institutions as follows:—Medical and Hospital, £8,740; Lunatic Asylum, £9,526; and Destitute Poor, £13,759; the latter department expending fifty per cent. more than in the previous year.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

Following upon a year when the public revenue had increased forty-two per cent., the returns for 1866 show a diminution of less moment than might have been anticipated, owing to the demand for land, which had been extraordinary in 1865, having continued through the earlier months of the succeeding year.

The revenue, from all sources, amounted to £949,774, as compared with £1,089,128, or a decrease of £139,354. The principal decrease was in the payments into the Treasury for land, which amounted to £331,285 instead of £504,677, or £173,392 less. Other smaller decreases were compensated for by increases on remaining items. The amount of Customs receipts, the only source of *taxation*, was £230,134, or twenty-seven shillings and two-pence per head of the population, as against thirty shillings per head in the preceding year.

Consequent upon the accumulation of revenue during the previous year, the expenditure during 1866 was enhanced, amounting to £1,064,323, as compared with £790,504, or an increase of £273,819. The principal addition was under the head of Public Works, upon which £402,245 were expended, as against £223,083, or an increase of £179,162. In connection with this expenditure must be taken the payments for interest and sinking fund of the Bonded Debt, £95,830, and also £20,385 from the Loan Account, making a total sum spent on account of public improvements during 1866 of £518,461—half a million being provided out of the General Revenue. The Immigration expenditure was £65,181 as against £53,688.

The balance to the credit of the Treasurer, at the close of the year, amounted to £403,091 sterling, as compared with £417,640 at its commencement.

From a return of the gross revenue and expenditure during the past ten years, it appears that, during that period, the receipts into the Treasury, from all sources, have amounted to £6,429,339, and the outgoings to £6,359,452. Of the former sum, the Ordinary Revenue contributed £3,719,793, and the remaining £2,709,546 was procured from the Land Fund. During the like period, the total expenditure upon public improvements and immigration amounted to £3,063,938, not including the cost attending the establishments connected with the survey and sale of the land, the prosecution of public works, and the supervision of immigration.

LOANS FOR PUBLIC WORKS.

The amount of the public debt of the Province, which has been incurred solely for the construction of reproductive public works, partly in aid of sums devoted out of the general revenue, amounted on the 31st December last, to £775,600, or a reduction of £20,600 during the twelve months. The actual amount paid off during 1866 was, however, £44,600, a fresh loan to the extent of £24,000 having been contracted for the purposes of the Strathalbyn Tramway; being the first incurred since 1863.

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The public indebtedness amounts to £4 11s. 6d. per head of the population, or about one-third of the rate existing in the neighboring communities.

Since the first bond was issued in 1854, the sum of £1,092,900 has been raised by loan, of which £317,300 has been paid off, leaving the present debt—the bulk of which is extinguishable during the next twenty years—at the amount above stated.

BANKING.

The usual half-yearly statements of the average liabilities and assets of the six banking institutions carrying on business in this Province, have been duly published in accordance with the requirements of the Act relating thereto.

For purposes of comparison, however, the subjoined abstract of the aggregate average assets and liabilities of the several banks, for the six months ending December, 1864, 1865, and 1866, respectively, will be found convenient:—

LIABILITIES.

	1864.			1865.			1866.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	315,126	6	8	340,512	2	10	239,372	8	2
Bills in circulation	12,700	9	9	12,138	12	7	42,246	19	4
Balance due to other banks	11,715	2	4	26,415	4	7	32,210	9	2
Deposits	1,158,931	11	11	1,568,151	1	1	1,401,565	9	5
Total average liabilities	£1,498,473	10	8	£1,947,217	1	1	£1,715,395	6	1

ASSETS.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Coin and bullion	411,710	3	0	445,996	19	8	318,927	5	5
Government Securities	4,600	0	0	4,600	0	0	4,600	0	0
Landed property and bank premises	60,808	18	11	69,257	16	11	86,404	9	1
Notes and bills of other banks	8,109	9	4	13,325	11	8	26,611	8	9
Balances due from other banks	151,312	15	1	73,600	3	5	63,426	7	3
Notes and bills discounted, and other debts due to banks not enumerated	1,724,759	5	4	2,424,924	8	8	3,120,092	10	10
Total average assets	£2,361,300	11	8	£3,031,705	0	4	£3,620,062	1	4

It will be seen from the above how far the commercial crisis of 1866, in combination with the disastrous effects of a lengthened drought, affected the monetary position of the colonists.

In the December half-year 1865, the average liabilities amounted to £1,947,217, in 1866 to £1,715,395. The average assets for the same periods being £3,031,705 and £3,620,062 respectively.

On analyzing the returns, it appears that the deposits were £166,585 less, amounting to £1,401,565, instead of £1,568,151. This diminution is small in amount, but becomes important, when compared with an increase in the previous year's returns of £409,220. The note circulation also fell off, to the extent of £100,000, or from £340,512 to £239,372, returning to the amount at which it stood in the last half of 1863.

The chief feature in the returns, however, is the great increase in the amount of accommodation afforded to the public out of the Banks' own capital. With reduced, instead of rapidly-increasing deposits, and a deficiency of nearly one-third in the note circulation, the discounts and advances were augmented by £695,168—or from £2,424,924 to £3,120,092 sterling. In the December half of 1865 the deposits amounted to £1,568,151, and the advances to £2,424,924—the latter exceeding the former by £856,773. In the same period last year the average deposits were £1,401,565, and the discounts £3,120,092, or a difference of £1,718,527, or just double that of the preceding year. The intensity of the monetary pressure may be estimated when so great and unusual a demand upon the assistance of the Banks was promptly met to the liberal extent above disclosed. The rates of discount and of exchange were, of course, greatly affected. The usual statement showing the latter ruling for each quarter will be found interesting. During the third quarter of the year, Bank drafts on London, at sixty days' sight, reached three per cent. premium.

SAVINGS BANK.

Although this institution was naturally affected by the financial difficulties existing during the year under review, it is satisfactory to find, from a close examination of the returns rendered, that the pressure upon the class of the community from which the depositors are principally drawn was less than might have been anticipated. The number of new accounts opened was 2,135, or only 198 fewer; and the amount deposited £124,427, or but £6,688 less than in 1865. The amount to the credit of the several depositors at the close of the year was £249,329, or £9,364 less than on the last day of the preceding year—the total number of accounts open being 7,679, or 603 more. The depositors drew from

from the Bank £147,524, as compared with £115,751, or an increase of £31,773, as against an increase shown in the previous year of £28,020 on the same item.

The reserve fund increased from £15,378 to £17,370, and the rate of interest allowed to depositors from five to six per cent. per annum. The total funds of the Bank amounted to £266,700, as compared with £274,071. The following abstract of the Bank's operations during the past five years will be found useful:—

	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.
New accounts opened (number)	1,264	1,440	1,806	2,333	2,135
Increase in depositors (number)	629	834	1,132	1,233	603
Amount deposited	£79,482	£91,783	£120,924	£131,115	£124,427
" withdrawn	£54,495	£63,393	£87,731	£115,751	£147,524
" depositors' balances	£152,663	£189,143	£231,972	£258,693	£249,329
" reserve funds	£10,842	£12,062	£13,431	£15,378	£17,370
" total funds	£163,506	£201,205	£245,403	£274,071	£266,700

The rate of interest charged by the Bank for loans on freehold security was increased during the last quarter of the year to eight per cent., having previously stood for several years at seven and a-half per cent. per annum. The total amount lent on mortgage is £178,862, and £11,600 is invested in Government securities. In addition to the branches of this institution heretofore existing at Port Adelaide, Mount Gambier, and Kapunda, further facilities were afforded to depositors by the opening, early in the year, of agencies at the Telegraph offices in the several townships of Clare, Gawler, Goolwa, Kooringa, Strathalbyn, and Wallaroo.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

Trade languished during 1866 from a variety of causes, but if it be remembered that the following comparisons are made with one of the most prosperous years experienced, it will be found that the diminution recorded is, relatively, of less moment than would at first sight appear.

The combined import and export trade amounted to £5,693,879, against £6,057,442 in the preceding year, showing a decrease of £363,563, or six per cent.; but the trade of 1866 was equal in amount to that of the year 1864, and nearly one-third greater than that of 1863.

The total imports were valued at £2,835,142, as compared with £2,927,596, or a decrease of £92,454. When compared with 1864 there is an increase shown of £422,211, or nearly twenty per cent. The total exports amounted to £2,858,737, or a falling off of £271,109, or about eight per cent. When compared with 1864, in which year the export trade reached to £3,305,545, there is a decrease of £446,808, or thirteen per cent.

Taking the three years together, the total imports amounted to £8,175,669, and the exports to £9,294,128, leaving a balance in favor of the Colony of £1,118,459; distributed throughout the period as follows:—in 1864, the exports exceeded the imports by £892,614; in 1865, by £202,250; and last year, by £23,595 only. In 1864, the exports of staple products were valued at forty-two per cent. more than the goods cleared for home consumption; in 1865, at eight per cent. only; but in 1866, the shipments did not exceed the imports by as much as one per cent.

During the first eighteen months of this period, the exports exceeded the imports enormously, and unfortunately induced excessive importations during the *latter* half of the period, when the exports falling considerably, depression naturally resulted.

The following table shows the combined import and export trade for each year since 1857, inclusive, the total imports, the imports retained for home consumption, and the imports re-exported, the aggregate exports, the value of staple products exported, and the difference between the latter and the value of imports consumed:—

Year.	Combined import and export trade.	Total Imports.	Imports retained for home consumption.	Imports re-exported.	Total exports.	Exports of produce of the Colony.	Balance produce exported over imports consumed.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1857.....	3,581,624	1,623,052	1,408,664	214,388	1,958,572	1,744,184	335,520
1858.....	3,281,536	1,769,351	1,612,207	157,144	1,512,185	1,355,041	257,166
1859.....	3,163,370	1,507,494	1,353,783	153,711	1,655,876	1,502,165	148,382
1860.....	3,423,307	1,639,591	1,432,201	207,390	1,783,716	1,576,326	144,125
1861.....	4,008,329	1,976,018	1,782,346	193,672	2,032,311	1,838,639	56,293
1862.....	3,966,452	1,820,656	1,595,347	225,309	2,145,796	1,920,487	325,140
1863.....	4,387,096	2,028,279	1,764,818	263,461	2,358,817	2,095,356	330,538
1864.....	5,718,476	2,412,931	2,122,923	290,008	3,305,545	3,015,537	892,614
1865.....	6,057,442	2,927,596	2,552,407	375,189	3,129,846	2,754,657	202,250
1866.....	5,693,879	2,835,142	2,516,128	319,014	2,858,737	2,539,723	23,595

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The combined import and export trade with the United Kingdom amounted to £3,036,138, as compared with £2,706,584, or an increase of £329,544. The imports amounted to £1,880,273 as against £1,741,690, or £138,583 additional. The shipments to Great Britain amounted to £1,155,865 as compared with £964,894, or an increase of £190,971. In 1865, the imports thence exceeded our exports direct by £776,796—last year, by £724,407. We purchased British goods (in addition to large supplies by way of Melbourne) to the extent of £11 2s. 6d. per head of the population, being the same rate as in the preceding year.

With Victoria, however, there was a falling off, amounting to half a million sterling—in 1865 the combined import and export trade having reached £1,864,945, whilst in 1866 it only amounted to £1,337,987. There appears to have been a considerable decrease in both import and export trade, the former amounting to £402,692, or £217,609 less; and the latter £935,295, or £309,348 below that of the previous year. The diminution in the import trade amounted to thirty-three per cent.; and in exports to twenty-five per cent., attributable to the decreased shipments of cereal produce. The balance of trade was in favor of South Australia by £532,603, as against £624,342 the year before.

Business transactions with New South Wales were likewise disturbed, and although no serious diminution in the aggregate amount is shown, the traffic was less favorable to this community. The total transactions amounted to £647,624, or £149,881 less than in 1865; the import trade amounting £295,071 as compared with £239,820, or an *increase* of £55,251; and the shipments thereto *declining* from £557,685 to £352,553, or by thirty-six per cent. The balance of trade in our favor was reduced from £317,864 to £57,482.

Our shipments to Queensland advanced from £93,031 to £107,651; but to New Zealand, on the other hand, they diminished, being only £65,586 instead of £143,987, almost entirely wheat and flour. The exports to Western Australia increased from £28,490 to £44,499, the imports from thence amounting to £5,031, showing a balance in our favor of £39,468; owing to the regular communication, business with this Colony is rapidly increasing. From Tasmania, we imported £26,469 worth of timber and potatoes, as against £36,438 the year before.

The exports to the Cape and the Mauritius were almost nominal, being £11,571 only—but the importation of sugar from the latter place increased from £99,712 to £116,973 value. The shipments of copper to India were larger than in 1865, the total exports thereto—nearly the whole being mineral produce—amounted to £144,121 as compared with £76,970, or an increase of £67,151.

With foreign countries direct trade was very limited. From the United States we received goods of the value of £37,790 as against £47,462; and, for the first time, shipped wool to that country, to the amount of £34,565. From China we imported teas, &c., to the value of £26,576 as against £54,059, in the preceding year. To Batavia we exported flour to the value of £2,130. The imports of Baltic timber declined from £34,525 to £8,500; whilst the importations from Hamburgh direct amounted to £10,594 as compared with £2,455 in the year preceding.

During 1865, the imports of coin and bullion amounted to £72,050, and the exports to £60,410, leaving a balance in favor of the Colony of £11,640. Last year, however, we shipped £86,930, only receiving £68,050 in return, showing a balance against us of £18,880 sterling.

EXPORTS, THE PRODUCE OF THE COLONY.

In reviewing the progress of a community liable to periodical depression, but also, as the above table shows, equally open to times of great prosperity, it is especially important, in either of those events, carefully to analyze and compare returns extending over a number of years, before forming an opinion as to its present position or its future prospects. With this view, is supplied, as in each previous year, a statement from which a fair conclusion may be drawn, as to the development of the material interests of the Province. It shows the total value of the exports of colonial produce, and of the three principal staple products in the years 1857, 1861, and 1866, respectively, the beginning, middle, and termination of the past decade; also the aggregate value of those exports during the quinquennial periods closing in 1861 and 1866; together with the average annual shipments in the same periods, and the proportion which

which the shipments of agricultural, pastoral, and mineral staples respectively bore to the total exports of produce :—

Period.	Total Exports of Produce.	Of which Exports.			
		Breadstuffs, Grain, &c.	Wool.	Copper and other minerals.	Miscellaneous Products.
	£	£	£	£	£
In the year 1857	1,744,184	755,840	504,520	458,839	24,985
" 1861	1,838,639	712,789	623,007	452,172	50,671
" 1866	2,539,723	645,401	990,173	824,501	79,648
Total in five years, 1857–61	8,016,355	3,047,394	2,606,705	2,141,848	220,408
" 1862–66	12,325,760	4,718,831	3,938,516	3,226,249	442,164
Average of five years, 1857–61	1,603,271	609,480	521,341	428,370	44,080
" 1862–66	2,465,152	943,766	787,703	645,250	88,433
Rate per cent of average exports of 1857-61	100·0	38·0	32·5	26·7	2·8
Rate per cent. of average exports of 1862-66	100·0	38·3	31·9	26·2	3·6

From the above it appears, that the average exports of the five years ending in 1866, was greater by fifty per cent. than that of a similar period ending in 1861, being £2,465,152 as compared with £1,603,271.

The aggregate exports of staple productions during the whole period of ten years amounted to over twenty millions sterling, eight millions being due to the first half of the decade, and twelve and a-quarter millions to the last.

The total exports of produce in the year 1857 amounted to £1,744,184; in 1861 to £1,838,639, and during last year to £2,539,723. In 1857 the gross value was made up as follows:—Breadstuffs, £755,840; wool, £504,520; copper, £458,839; and miscellaneous, £24,985. In 1866 the proportion of each staple product contributed was as follows:—Wool, £990,173; copper, £824,501; cereals, £645,401; and miscellaneous articles, £79,648.

It will be seen, that, so far as agricultural produce is concerned, a mere comparison of *value* gives an erroneous view, as our cereal exports in 1866 were somewhat larger in *quantity* than in 1857, although not much, owing to the deficiency in the harvest. This objection equally applies to mineral produce, and although it is necessary to give a comparative statement of the value of exports, the only correct estimate can be formed from the tables of quantities exported, which will be found in later paragraphs. By taking an average of five years, as given in the above table, the error is partly corrected, as such a comparison shows an augmentation in the value of each staple product of over fifty per cent.

The following statement shows as closely as possible the relative value of wheat, wool, and copper, as compared with the total exports of produce :—

Five Years, ending with	Ratio of average of five years' Exports of each class to total Exports=100.			
	Breadstuffs.	Wool.	Minerals.	Miscellaneous.
	Per Cent.	Per Cent.	Per Cent.	Per Cent.
1857	40·4	30·8	24·6	4·2
1858	40·6	30·7	25·4	3·3
1859	39·3	31·5	27·1	2·1
1860	38·2	31·6	27·6	2·6
1861	38·0	32·5	26·7	2·8
1862	35·5	33·4	27·2	3·9
1863	35·2	33·9	27·0	3·9
1864	38·8	31·8	25·7	3·7
1865	41·2	30·8	24·5	3·5
1866	38·3	31·9	26·2	3·6

Taking the average of the five years terminating with 1861, the value of breadstuffs formed 38·0, wool 32·5, copper 26·7, and miscellaneous articles 2·8 per cent. of the total exports. Taking the like average for the similar period ending in 1866, we find breadstuffs contributed 38·3, wool 31·9, copper 26·2, and miscellaneous articles 3·6 per cent. of the gross produce. Although this comparison shows but little change in the relative position of the three classes, a closer examination of the table will disclose many fluctuations during the period over which it extends.

BREADSTUFFS,

BREADSTUFFS, GRAIN, &c.

The great falling-off in the exports of breadstuffs during 1866, as compared with the two preceding years, was the main cause of the depression existing during the last twelve months; for not only was the harvest much smaller than its predecessor, yielding 3,587,800 bushels only, as against 4,252,949 bushels, but the higher rates usually attendant upon scarcity were not realized. The early date at which the probable deficiency in the yield was established, induced the dispatch of orders to the American continent for large supplies, which continued to pour into the neighboring Colonies, displacing to a great extent the demand for our grain, and diminishing its market value. Farmers also suffered from holding back wheat early in the season, anticipating higher prices, but which, owing to the glut of American grain, they failed to obtain. Deficient crops and low prices, combined with the unfortunate mistake as to the probabilities of the market, made the year 1866, so far as regards the trade in breadstuffs, singularly disastrous.

The total quantity of wheat and flour shipped was 38,808 tons as against 60,513 tons, or one-third less than in 1865. The *value* was diminished at the same time; the declared amount of the exports of breadstuffs, grain, &c., being only £645,401 as compared with £1,228,480, or nearly one-half. Notwithstanding the scarcity, the average price of flour throughout the year was only £15 7s. as against £20 10s. per ton; and of wheat only 6s. 2d. instead of 8s. 7d. per bushel, as in 1865.

The following figures, showing the progress of the wheat and flour trade during the past five years, will be found reassuring as to the future:—

Year.	Acres under Wheat.	Wheat Harvest.	Average yield per acre.	Flour and Wheat shipped.	Average price, Wheat, ℔ bushel.	Total Value Breadstuffs, Grain, &c., shipped.
		Bushels.	Bs. lbs.	Tons.	*s. d.*	£
1862	310,636	3,410,756	10 59	51,092	4 8	633,241
1863	320,160	3,841,824	12 0	60,434	4 10	747,116
1864	335,758	4,691,919	14 0	76,553	8 6	1,464,593
1865	390,836	4,252,949	11 0	60,513	8 7	1,228,480
1866	410,608	3,587,800	8 44	38,808	6 2	645,401

So sudden and serious a decline in the export of the chief staple of the country, although felt to be only temporary,* of course produced great depression amongst all classes; not less so from having followed a period of more than ordinary prosperity.

At the present juncture it is important to note the immense stride agriculture has taken during the latter half of the past decade; and that, during the last three years, including that under review, our yearly cereal exports have *averaged* more than *one million* sterling; and I consequently subjoin a tabular statement showing the shipments of flour, wheat, bran, and pollard during the years 1857, 1861, and 1866, also the total exports of those articles during the two quinquennial periods, and the average for such periods:—

Period.	Flour.	Wheat.	Total in Flour, at 45 bushels to ton.	Bran and Pollard.
	Tons.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.
In the year 1857	33,103	200,328	37,555	6,553
" 1861	33,011	674,160	47,992	4,826
" 1866	30,496	374,048	38,808	2,560
Total in five years, 1857–61	129,612	1,693,360	167,242	23,999
" 1862–66	185,890	4,568,128	287,404	29,699
Average of five years, 1857-61	25,922	338,672	33,448	4,799
" 1862–66	37,178	913,626	57,481	5,935

It will be seen that, during the five years ending in 1861, we exported 167,242 tons; in the succeeding quinquennial period we shipped 287,404 tons; and that the shipments during the first five years averaged 33,448 tons, and during the last 57,481 tons.

The large exportable surplus of 1865, 60,513 tons, was wholly disposed of in the adjoining Colonies and New Zealand, without difficulty; but, owing to the immense importations of American grain before referred to, attracted by the high prices that had ruled here during that and the previous year, the smaller disposable surplus of 1866 moved off very slowly, the shipments hence to the Sydney and Melbourne markets being greatly diminished.

Victoria took only 8,476 tons of flour and 22,883 quarters of wheat, as against 15,537

* The harvest of 1867 produced 6,561,451 bushels, average yield 14⅓ bushels per acre. The shipments of flour and wheat to 30th June, 63,000 tons; in comparison with 23,000 tons to same date, in previous year.

15,537 tons and 68,410 quarters in 1865. To New South Wales 12,047 tons of flour and 14,190 quarters of wheat were sent, instead of 14,322 tons and 35,040 quarters respectively. Queensland took a larger quantity of flour, 5,926 tons, in lieu of 4,141 tons; but the shipments to New Zealand declined from 3,875 tons to 2,353 tons of flour, and from 17,234 quarters to 9,269 quarters of grain. Western Australia took 841 tons, in lieu of 155 tons; and the following smaller shipments were placed:—Mauritius, 471 tons; Cape Town, 220 tons; Batavia, 130 tons; and Singapore, 20 tons; no flour or grain being exported to the United Kingdom.

MINERALS.

There was a considerable increase in the quantity of mineral produce exported—the total value amounting to £824,501 as compared with £620,112, showing an increase of £204,389, or nearly one-third more than in the previous year. Under each head of the return very satisfactory evidence is afforded of the progress made in mining during the twelvemonth just closed—in no previous year had the results of mining industry proved more beneficial to the Colony. During 1866, copper formed more than one-third of our exportable produce. The following table shows the quantity as well as the value of the several kinds of mineral produce shipped, side by side, with the exports during the preceding four years.

Mineral.		1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.
Fine Copper	Cwts.	85,872	96,039	134,055	100,196	129,272
	£	400,591	447,944	637,791	433,795	584,509
Copper Ore	Tons.	6,216	5,343	4,545	16,176	16,824
	£	124,263	83,262	38,125	184,677	225,683
Lead	Cwts.	426	271	63	82	1,351
	£	981	525	121	133	2,991
Lead Ore	Tons.	97	450	567	86	648
	£	2,266	9,007	13,107	1,507	11,318
Regulus	Tons.	418	39	52	—	—
	£	19,518	1,655	2,480	—	—
Total value	£	547,619	542,393	691,624	620,112	824,501

It will be seen that the chief increase was in the export of manufactured copper, of which 129,272cwts., value £584,509, were shipped, as against 100,196cwts. in 1865, value £433,795; showing an increase in quantity of 29,076cwts. of fine copper, and in value of £150,714. The shipments of fine copper alone, therefore, averaged 125 tons a week, as against 100 tons per week during the previous year. The shipments of copper ore were slightly greater in quantity, but were of much additional value, 16,824 tons worth £225,683, as compared with 16,176 tons worth £184,677; an increase of 648 tons in quantity, but of £41,006 in value. The shipments of lead and lead ores also increased very considerably. Of the former, 1,351cwts. were sent away in place of 82cwts.; and of the latter, 648 tons against 86 tons in 1865. The value of the two in 1866 was £14,309, as compared with £1,640 in the year previous.

During the past ten years considerably more than five millions sterling (£5,368,097) has been introduced into South Australia in exchange for our mineral productions, finding employment for a great number of its population. In the first half of that period the exports amounted to £2,141,848, or averaging £428,370 yearly; and in the last five years to £3,226,249, or an average annual shipment of £645,250 sterling. In 1857, the shipments amounted to £458,839; in 1861 they were £452,172, but in 1866 they reached £824,501.

As the value of minerals has fluctuated considerably, the following comparative statement of the *quantities* of the several ores and metals shipped during the past decade, will be found still more clearly to show the great advance of this industry, and its important bearing upon the prosperity of the community.

Period.	Copper.	Lead.	Copper Ore.	Lead Ore.	Regulus.
	Cwts.	Cwts.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
In the year 1857	56,893	—	8,036	1,422	79
" 1861	61,047	1,256	7,817	15	390
" 1866	129,272	1,351	16,824	648	—
Total in five years 1857–61	287,910	4,341	36,953	2,620	1,102
" 1862–66	545,434	2,193	49,104	1,849	509
Average of five years, 1857–61	57,582	868	7,390	524	220
" 1862–66	109,087	438	9,821	370	102

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From the above it will be seen that the production of fine copper has advanced from 56,893cwts. in 1857 to 129,272cwts. last year; the shipment of copper ores also having doubled—16,824 tons as against 8,036 tons. But the whole of this increase has occurred since the discoveries in the Wallaroo and Moonta mining district in 1861. Before that date, the average yearly shipments amounted to 57,582cwts., or 53 tons per week, since they have *averaged* 109,087cwt., or 105 tons per week. The shipments at the close of the decade amounting as above stated to 129,272cwt., or 125 tons per week.

In addition to the benefits resulting from the employment of labor in the manufacture of fine copper, the amount of shipping engaged in importing coal for the smelting works has been vastly augmented—82,830 tons being discharged here in 1866, or four times the quantity required five years ago.

WOOL.

Considering the great losses the sheepfarmer has experienced during the past few years, the augmentation in the quantity of wool shipped in 1866, although smaller than antecedent to the drought, is of an encouraging nature. There was an increase of 5,795 bales, the aggregate number shipped being 61,977, as against 56,182 in the year preceding. The total weight was 20,908,085lbs., as compared with 18,945,425lbs. From these amounts the weight of 3,437 bales received in transitu, *via* the Murray, and from Western Australia, has to be deducted, in order to arrive at the quantity produced in this Colony; after making such deductions, it appears that the quantity of South Australian wool sent away in 1866 was 58,540 bales, weighing 19,739,523lbs., or 3,469,633lbs. more than in 1865, showing an increase of over twenty per cent., and of 10,178 additional bales. The following table shows the shipments from each port during the year ending 31st December, 1866, and two preceding years:—

Year ended 31st December.	1864.	1865.	1866.
	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.
From Port Adelaide	8,472,298	9,734,297	12,164,497
Port Wakefield	1,774,300	1,908,678	3,374,226
Port Robe	2,077,300	1,892,460	1,539,500
Port Augusta	2,990,403	998,315	857,188
Port MacDonnell	771,656	1,217,013	1,423,919
Port Wallaroo	—	137,007	—
Port Elliot	6,138	—	—
Port Victor	—	382,120	113,400
Port Caroline	—	—	266,793
Total Export of South Australian Wool	16,092,095	16,269,890	19,739,523
Produce of other Colonies	1,404,456	2,675,535	1,168,562
Total shipment (lbs.)	17,496,551	18,945,425	20,908,085
Total shipment (bales)	50,946	56,182	61,977
	£	£	£
Total value of South Australian Wool	775,656	821,482	990,173
Total value of other Wool	73,469	152,915	74,313
Total value £	849,125	974,397	1,064,486

The declared value of the South Australian wool, amounted to £990,173, to which £74,313 must be added for the produce of other Colonies, making the total shipments worth over one million sterling. The wool of this Colony shipped in 1865 was valued at £821,482, and that of the preceding year at £775,656.

In order to ascertain accurately the yearly progress of the pastoral interest, it is necessary however to remember that the shipment of wool is at its height at the close of the year, and it is often a matter of accident as to which year the export is credited. The comparison of clip with clip is best made from returns showing the shipments from July to June in each year, which are accordingly appended:—

Year ended 30th June	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1867.
	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.
Port Adelaide	7,550,428	10,112,815	10,381,539	9,277,556	11,448,696
" Wakefield	2,282,400	—	1,833,800	2,981,078	2,301,826
" Robe	1,488,400	1,816,300	1,760,400	1,736,460	1,639,400
" MacDonnell	55,395	541,380	1,014,850	800,790	1,468,772
" Wallaroo	43,500	65,000	—	77,507	—
" Augusta	2,798,673	4,294,400	2,206,325	998,315	857,188
" Victor or Port Elliot	—	6,138	294,000	179,800	—
" Caroline	—	—	—	72,383	289,229
Total weight (lbs.)	14,218,796	16,836,033	17,490,914	16,123,889	18,005,111

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Although useful, as giving a general idea, the figures in the above table do not show the actual production of wool in the vicinity of the port named, as it must be understood that in each case the shipments to other countries *direct* from the particular port only are given, the shipments coastwise not being included. When a vessel is laid on at any outport, and departs for a foreign port, the wool is returned as exported from that particular outport; but when the wool is shipped coastwise to Port Adelaide, it is included in the exports from the chief port.

The following figures show the quantity and value of South Australian wool shipped in 1857, 1861, and 1866—the total quantity shipped during the first five years of the decade, and during the second, together with the average shipments for such periods:—

Period.	Quantity.	Value.
	lbs.	£
In the year 1857	9,695,203	504,520
" 1861	13,164,391	623,007
" 1866	19,739,523	990,173
Total in five years, 1857–61	51,862,905	2,606,705
" 1862–66	80,897,304	3,938,516
Average of five years, 1857–61	10,372,581	521,341
" 1862–66	16,179,461	787,703

It is gratifying to find that in 1866 we shipped 19,739,523lbs. of wool, worth £990,173, as compared with 13,164,391lbs., worth £623,007 in 1861, and 9,695,203lbs., worth £504,520 in 1857; showing an increase of fifty per cent. in each quinquennial period, notwithstanding that the latter five years has included the severest drought known in this Province.

SHIPPING.

The deficiency in the quantity of breadstuffs for export naturally affected the amount of shipping employed during 1866, but although the number of vessels arriving and departing was reduced one-sixth, the aggregate tonnage was not very much below that of 1865, a larger class of vessels having been employed than heretofore.

In 1864, 617 vessels entered at ports in South Australia, of 160,095 tons; in 1865, 619 vessels of 183,102 tons; and in 1866, 524 vessels of 169,439 tons; showing a decrease upon the preceding year of 95 vessels, and 13,663 tons. The principal decrease was in the arrivals from Victoria, amounting to 59 vessels, and 17,230 tons.

From Great Britain, the arrivals numbered ten less, being 59 instead of 69, the tonnage, however, being nearly the same, 40,379 and 42,074 tons respectively. The following statement gives the number and tonnage of vessels entered inwards from each country during the past three years:—

Ships Inwards.			Countries.	Tonnage.		
1864.	1865.	1866.		1864.	1865.	1866.
59	69	59	Great Britain	29,948	42,074	40,379
260	230	171	Victoria	56,111	58,199	40,969
175	152	178	New South Wales	45,535	43,022	58,796
49	73	46	Tasmania	5,684	8,690	5,692
3	3	5	Queensland	571	356	1,762
17	29	20	Western Australia	5,246	8,940	6,726
15	12	8	New Zealand	3,234	2,515	1,620
3	4	3	Cape of Good Hope	1,028	1,837	794
1	3	1	India and Singapore	472	718	793
15	17	15	Mauritius	3,370	3,746	3,381
1	—	—	Bourbon	369	—	—
1	—	—	Hongkong	216	—	—
—	3	1	Vancouver's Island	—	1,276	327
7	8	5	Sweden	3,671	4,257	2,816
1	1	2	Hamburg	188	160	518
7	11	7	United States	3,788	6,484	4,173
—	1	—	Batavia	—	289	—
3	3	3	China	664	539	693
617	619	524	Total inwards	160,095	183,102	169,439

Of the above-mentioned 524 vessels, all but seven, of 1,430 tonnage, arrived with cargoes; and all but 21 were British vessels. The total number of the crews amounted to 7,881, or 1,160 less than last year. In addition to the above, 51 vessels were entered from

from New South Wales, engaged in the River Murray trade, the total capacity being 3,985 tons, and the crews numbering 334 men. During the previous season, only 36 vessels entered at Murray Ports, or 15 fewer than last year.

With regard to shipping outwards, it is important to note, that although the clearances were fewer in number by 86, the total tonnage was only 3,756 less, the falling off being chiefly in the intercolonial trade.

In 1865 the departures numbered 601, of 174,188 tons; in 1864 they had been 619, of 161,293 tons; and in 1866 they amounted to 515 vessels, of 170,432 tons. The subjoined tabular statement shows the number of vessels departing to each country during the past three years:—

Ships Outward.			Countries.	Tonnage.		
1864.	1865.	1866.		1864.	1865.	1866.
22	34	30	Great Britain	11,677	17,867	22,097
279	248	215	Victoria	59,473	62,402	50,184
139	136	133	New South Wales	38,008	39,092	49,655
21	37	13	Tasmania	2,617	4,629	1,365
60	36	28	New Zealand	14,119	7,706	6,211
20	22	22	Queensland	3,662	3,751	5,264
19	27	25	Western Australia	6,063	8,469	8,464
8	6	6	Mauritius	1,904	1,517	1,495
2	—	—	Bourbon	375	—	—
21	23	12	India	12,188	12,692	8,554
2	2	1	Cape of Good Hope	560	237	183
6	4	1	Batavia	2,210	2,104	575
1	—	—	Brazils	281	—	—
6	12	15	Chili	3,045	5,437	9,808
—	—	1	United States	—	—	281
3	2	2	China	895	1,389	1,296
10	12	11	Guam	3,856	6,896	5,000
619	601	515	Total outwards	161,293	174,188	170,432

It will be seen that the tonnage entered outwards for Great Britain was greater than in 1865, 22,097 tons as against 17,867 tons, although the number of vessels was less by 4, being 30 only. The average tonnage of ships sailing for England in 1866 was, therefore, 736 tons, and in 1865, 525 tons, showing a marked improvement in the class of vessels engaged.

The following return, showing the number and tonnage of vessels entered and cleared from each port during the past two years, *exclusive of coasters*, will be found useful as indicating the amount of foreign trade done with the several outports:—

Inwards.				Name of Port.	Outwards.			
1865.		1866.			1865.		1866.	
Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.		Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.
444	147,025	352	124,473	Port Adelaide	409	133,623	318	120,047
7	1,981	3	1,080	" Robe	3	898	3	1,080
55	8,957	60	9,608	" MacDonnell	53	8,727	61	9,708
9	1,652	6	687	" Yankalilla	11	1,750	9	1,326
16	2,190	4	697	" Willunga	35	6,142	21	3,532
55	16,685	83	29,966	" Wallaroo	59	18,067	82	30,414
11	1,699	1	793	" Augusta	3	665	1	633
22	2,913	15	2,135	" Victor	28	4,316	20	3,692
619	183,102	524	169,439		601	174,188	515	170,432
36	4,536	51	3,985	River Murray	39	4,620	52	4,196
655	187,638	575	173,424	Total	640	178,808	567	174,628

The most noticeable feature in the above statement is the great increase in the Wallaroo shipping—83 vessels—principally coal laden—of 29,966 tons arriving in 1866, as compared with 55 of 16,685 tons capacity, in the previous year. More than one-half of the tonnage from this port left in ballast. The shipping entered outwards at Port Wallaroo in 1866 was just one-fourth in number, and tonnage, of the departures from Port Adelaide.

The number of vessels registered as belonging to Port Adelaide is 126, of 16,521 tons, an addition of 13 over the previous year. Fifteen vessels were built during the twelve months, the total tonnage being 948 tons; 25 vessels were registered, and twelve registers were cancelled.

LAND, CULTIVATION, AND LIVE STOCK.

The following extracts from my Eighth Annual Report on the Agricultural Statistics (year ended 31st March, 1867,) bring this subject down to the latest date :—

"During the past year 214,431 acres of country and suburban land were added to the area alienated from the Crown—a reduction of 102,045 acres on the quantity disposed of by the Government during the preceding twelve months. The total area of purchased land in the occupation of lease or freeholders on the 31st of December last was 3,424,721 acres, or twenty acres per head of the estimated population; or at the same rate as existed at the date of the Census, nine months previous.

"Nearly two-thirds, or 2,161,694 acres, of the total alienated lands is occupied by freeholders, showing an increase of 191,105 acres upon the preceding year. A large proportion of the remaining 1,263,027 acres of purchased land is held under leases, with right of, or covenant to, purchase, or is rented in conjunction with freehold property.

"In compliance with the wishes of the Select Committee of the Legislative Council on Preparation of Returns, of last Session, I have endeavored to obtain data for the compilation of tables showing the number, extent, and average area of the several holdings, under specified classes, for each district of the Province.

"Excluding areas of five hundred acres and upwards, the holdings are divided into eight classes, and show a total number of 10,687, with an aggregate extent of 1,303,865 acres, the average size of each holding being 122 acres. No distinction has been drawn as to the nature of the tenure; in some instances, it being freehold; in others, freehold and rented land in combination; and, in many, leasehold only.

"From the following abstract relating to the whole Province—and similar information can be extracted from the returns, for each District Council and County were it necessary—it appears that the largest class of holders are those farming from 100 to 200 acres—their number being 2,713, or 25·4 per cent of the whole body, and their holdings averaging 144·6 acres. The next most numerous class are the farmers of from 50 to 100 acres, of whom there are 2,214, whose farms average 76·4 acres each, and who form 20·7 per cent of the whole body. Next come 1,715 holders of farms varying from 200 to 350 acres each, forming 16 per cent of the total occupiers, and with an average of 259·4 acres to each holding. There are 601 occupiers of farms of 350 to 500 acres extent, the average being 412·8 acres to each occupier of this class, who represent 5·6 per cent of the whole.

"The above-mentioned four classes include very nearly the great bulk of the agriculturists, and, as will be seen, more than two-thirds of the whole body. There must, however, be added the holders of areas of 500 acres and upwards in the solely agricultural Counties of Adelaide, Gawler, Light, and Hindmarsh, numbering 523, with an average area of 1,187 acres.

"It must also be borne in mind that out of the total number of holders, 10,687, no fewer than 1,188 are occupying plots averaging only 2·6 acres; 992 occupiers averaging 8·5 acres; 609 occupiers averaging 20·6 acres; and 655 occupiers with an average of 38·2 acres each; or together, 3,444 holders, being one-third of the total number. A large proportion of these holdings, is under cultivation as gardens, orchards, and vineyards, or is merely fenced pasture. Holdings of one acre and under are excluded from these returns.

"The following table gives the particulars referred to :—

Class.	No. of Holdings.	Extent.	Average Area.	Per cent. of Total Holders.	Per cent. of Total Area.
More than 1 and under 5 acres	1,188	3,114	2·6	11·1	0·24
" 5 " 15 "	992	8,408	8·5	9·3	0·65
" 15 " 30 "	609	12,577	20·6	5·7	0·96
" 30 " 50 "	655	25,031	38·2	6·2	1·92
" 50 " 100 "	2,214	169,110	76·4	20·7	12·97
" 100 " 200 "	2,713	392,492	144·6	25·4	30·10
" 200 " 350 "	1,715	445,017	259·4	16·0	34·13
" 350 " 500 "	601	248,116	412·8	5·6	19·03
	10,687	1,303,865	122·0	100·0	100·00

"Large areas of land have been enclosed for agricultural purposes during the year; but the very large increase shown under the head "Enclosed Land" is mainly due to the continued fencing of country devoted to sheep-pasture, especially in the South-Eastern District. The total area enclosed, 4,539,089 acres, exceeds the area sold by the Crown by 1,114,368 acres, or one-third—representing, approximately, the extent of fenced

fenced runs; whilst, deducting the cultivated land from the total area enclosed, leaves 3,799,375 acres of fenced land available for depasturage.

"The increase in the area of land brought under cultivation was slightly above the additional quantity shown during the previous year, being 79,145 acres and 72,794 acres respectively. The total quantity of ploughed land was 739,714 acres as compared with 660,569 acres in 1865-6—showing an addition of twelve per cent.

"The ratio of cultivated to untilled land continues as 1 to 4—twenty per cent. or 1 in every 5 acres of purchased land being under the plough, notwithstanding the large areas disposed of during the past few years. Tillage has increased more rapidly than population, there being 4·37 acres cultivated for each member of the community; or 13 acres for each male of fourteen years of age and upwards—being one acre more per head than last season.

"The proportion of land under wheat, as compared with the total tillage, was the same as in the previous year, viz.—sixty-two per cent. Two and three-quarter acres of wheat were sown to each head of the population, or one-quarter of an acre more than last year. The increase in acreage, as compared with the previous season, amounted to 47,020 acres, or eleven and a-half per cent—the total area under wheat in 1866 being 457,628 acres as against 410,608 acres in 1865. The rate of increase in the past season was more than twice as great as that shown in the year preceding.

"Following upon the very poor harvest of 1865-6, when the average yield was only 8 bushels 44lbs. per acre, the average produce of the wheat crop of the past season appears large, it reaching 14 bushels 20lbs. per acre, or an increase of 5 bushels 36lbs. to the acre. The yield, nevertheless, was but two and one-third bushels above the average of the past eight seasons, which included two years of dearth. Still, it was the most prolific yet recorded. In judging of the relative productiveness of the soil of South Australia as compared with that of other countries, it must be borne in mind that a great portion of the land has been sown with wheat for many successive years; and, being in the hands of small proprietors, has received only the minimum of cultivation, and has been planted with this cereal in many instances only because of its cheapness in cost of production and gathering, and often irrespective of soil or climate. This, of course, tends to reduce the average for the whole Colony; but there are very many districts where farming is carried on on a large scale, and with appropriate appliances, where the yield of this cereal is from five to ten bushels above the average shown by the returns.

"The total produce of the crop amounted to 6,561,451 bushels—an increase of 2,973,651 bushels, or eighty-three per cent., on that of the preceding season. It has been mentioned that the increase in the breadth of land reaped was eleven and a-half per cent.; so that this bountiful addition to our cereal product resulted from the favorable season. The following table gives the total area of land under cultivation, the acreage under wheat, the gross produce of the harvest, and the average yield per acre for each of the past nine seasons:—

Season.	Acres cultivated.	Acres under Wheat.	Produce, Wheat.	Average per Acre.
			Bushels.	B. lbs.
1858-9	264,462	188,703	2,109,544	11 11
1859-60	361,884	218,216	2,103,411	9 38
1860-1	428,816	273,672	3,576,593	13 4
1861-2	486,667	310,636	3,410,756	10 59
1862-3	494,511	320,160	3,841,824	12 0
1863-4	555,968	335,758	4,691,919	14 0
1864-5	587,775	390,836	4,252,949	11 0
1865-6	660,569	410,608	3,587,800	8 44
1866-7	739,714	457,628	6,561,451	14 20

"The total quantity of hay sown was 111,339 acres or 9,343 acres more than in 1865-6. The aggregate produce was 147,159 tons as compared with 88,731 tons—an increase of 58,428 tons, or sixty-six per cent.

"There was a large increase in the breadth of land sown with barley and oats as compared with last season, although the total area under these cereals is comparatively trifling; and it seems a matter for consideration whether or not great advantages would not result from their more general cultivation. Of barley 11,723 acres were sown as against 9,362 acres, showing an increase of 2,361 acres. The total yield of grain was 235,941 bushels as compared with 130,679 bushels last year; the average for the two seasons being 20 bushels 6lbs. and 13 bushels 48lbs. respectively. The quantity of oats reaped was 87,143 bushels off 3,909 acres—an increase of 44,501 bushels and 1,037 acres over the previous year. The average yield was 22 bushels 12lbs., or 7 bushels 18lbs. per acre more than in 1865-6. "The

"The acreage under potatoes last season was only 2,526, or 249 acres less than in 1865-6. The produce amounted to 6,045 tons, or 1,222 more than in the previous year.

"The cultivation of peas is increasing rapidly, the area sown amounting to 1,853 acres as compared with 969 acres last year, or 884 acres additional.

"Permanent artificial grasses show a large increase, but their cultivation is almost entirely confined to the South-Eastern District. Lucerne is more generally distributed. Of the former 5,027 acres were grown, and of the latter 1,306 acres. The increase upon the two was 1,501 acres. Other minor crops show a considerable decrease, the total acreage being only 1,918 acres, or 2,098 acres less than last year.

"Owing to the comparison being made with the year in which the Census was taken, when returns are collected from every small occupier as well as from farmers—there is an apparent falling off in the area of gardens, orchards, and vineyards, which together amounted only to 4,753 acres as compared with 5,329, or a decrease of 576 acres, being nearly the amount of increase shown in last year's return.

"The decrease in the extent of vineyards is also equivalent to the increase exhibited last year, the total area being 6,361 as against 6,629 acres, or 268 acres less. The number of vines returned is also less from the same cause, the total number being 7,005,383, or 356,480 fewer; of these 5,698,609 were in bearing and 1,306,774 unproductive. The diminution in the latter is probably also partly owing to the smaller attention now devoted to this husbandry, owing to its at present unfavorable prospects.

"In view of the exceedingly dry season, the decreased production of the vintage of 1866, although general throughout the Province, is not so great as might have been anticipated, whilst the wine is understood to have been of a superior character. The quantity of wine made was 734,983 gallons as compared with 839,979 gallons, or 104,996 gallons less than in 1865. An ordinary vintage would thus give five gallons of wine for each man, woman, and child in the Province. The quantity of grapes returned as sold or otherwise disposed of than in winemaking was 29,467cwt. (fifteen hundred tons), slightly below the quantity specified in the previous season.

"The whole Colony shows an increase of 132,302 sheep as compared with a decrease in the previous season of 326,922; the total number being 3,911,610, against 3,779,308 last year. The increase therefore only amounted to three and one-half per cent.; that of 1864 was thirteen and one-half per cent.

"Again, a large diminution appears in the number of cattle, although not so great as in the previous year; the decrease in 1867 being 34,237 head, or 12,598 short of the deficiency in 1866. The rate of decrease, however, is only two per cent. lower, being twenty-one per cent. during the twelve months. The total number depasturing is 123,820 as compared with 158,057 head in 1866, and 204,892 head in 1865.

"Ten years ago we counted 310,460 head of great cattle, equivalent to *three* for each individual of the population; at present there is but *three-fourths* of a beast. In 1864 we only imported 400 head of fat cattle; now our requirements necessitate the purchase of between 6,000 and 7,000 yearly, chiefly from the Darling Runs."

RAILWAYS.

The railway returns exhibit a great deficiency in the goods traffic, owing to the failure in the wheat crops, the carriage of cereals being the principal source of revenue. There was a slight increase in the number of passengers, but a small decrease in receipts from that source.

The total number of passengers conveyed on both lines was 405,502, as compared with 402,550 in 1865. The total goods traffic amounted to 208,984 tons, or a decrease of no less than 52,199 tons, or one-fifth. Subjoined is a statement of the gross receipts and expenditure in each branch during the past three years:—

	1864.	1865.	1866.	1864.	1865.	1866.
Gross Receipts—				£	£	£
Number of passengers	359,035	402,550	405,502			
Passenger receipts				32,274	37,016	36,183
Tons of Goods	255,928	261,183	208,984			
Goods receipts				94,405	93,574	75,247
Other receipts				2,567	2,690	2,701
Total receipts				£129,246	£133,280	£114,131
Gross Expenditure—				£	£	£
Management				1,540	1,375	1,735
Locomotive department				19,366	18,824	16,150
Maintenance of line				22,358	22,334	24,161
Other working expenses (including goods agency)				56,328	71,936	61,923
Total expenditure				£99,593	£114,469	£103,979

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It will be observed that the gross receipts amounted to £114,131, or £19,149 less than in 1865, nearly the whole deficiency being in the goods branch.

MAIN ROADS.

The Central Board of Main Roads, during 1866, constructed 67 miles of main road, making the total length of main lines metalled and completed at the close of the year to be 416 miles, of which 319 miles have been constructed during the past ten years. The length metalled during the previous year was 54 miles, showing an increase of 13. Only about one-fourth of the total length of the declared main lines is as yet constructed. The aggregate expenditure during the ten years was £876,634, all of which was provided out of the General Revenue, and, of course, includes cost of maintenance. The amount expended in 1866 was £169,201, as compared with £111,129 during the previous year.

The Municipalities and District Councils having charge of the branch and district roads do not furnish any return as to the extent of their works, but the amount returned by them as spent upon works of public improvement during 1866 was £70,886, one moiety being raised by rate and the other being a grant-in-aid from the General Revenue.

POSTAL COMMUNICATION.

The aggregate number of post-offices open in 1866 was 226, or five more than last year; and the length of mail routes 3,797, in place of 3,337 miles. The extension of postal facilities is more marked in the greater distance travelled by the mails, which increased from 790,155 to 809,160 miles. A large increase also appears in the number of letters and newspapers carried, the former having augmented one-fourth during the last three years, as shown by the following figures:—

	1864.	1865.	1866.
Number of letters	2,189,474	2,444,207	2,703,105
Number of newspapers	1,457,914	1,760,415	1,968,120
Distance travelled by mails	733,526	790,155	809,160
	£	£	£
Income	22,001	25,023	27,987
Expenditure	21,485	23,417	27,062

Exclusive of the Ocean Mail Service, the cost of which is not included above, the income of the Post Office has exceeded the expenditure during the past three years, notwithstanding the extension of its business to very distant and sparsely peopled localities. The advantages of the money-order system are freely offered in connection with this and the Telegraph Department; offices being open throughout the Province corresponding with those in the neighboring Colonies, New Zealand, and the United Kingdom.

TELEGRAPHS.

Very considerable extension appears in the operation of the telegraph, no less than 13 new stations being opened during the course of the year; the length of wire being extended by 392 miles. At the close of the year there were 58 telegraph offices open in South Australia; the length of line opened was 1,075 miles, and of wire erected 1,565 miles; the whole having been constructed since 1856, and bringing us into instantaneous communication with almost every town of importance in the neighboring Colonies.

The number of messages transmitted was 121,153—an increase of 8,809; the total receipts amounting to £12,413, as compared with £11,735 in the year preceding. A decrease appears in the amount of intercolonial business, but it was more than compensated for by the additional receipts on the local lines, especially those traversing the northern and south-eastern districts of the Province.

CONCLUSION.

In concluding this report, I would beg of those having little time for consideration of statistical details simply to refer to the concluding table, showing a bird's-eye view of the progress of South Australia since its foundation as a British Province down to the close of the thirtieth year of its existence.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your obedient humble servant,

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SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

STATISTICS.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS.

RETURN of the BIRTHS and DEATHS (specifying CAUSES, when classified) in each MONTH of the YEARS 1865 and 1866.

Months.	Births.						Deaths.							
	1865.			1866.			Causes of Death.	1865.			1866.			
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
January	250	251	501	240	237	477	All causes	92	68	160	162	111	273	
							Zymotic diseases	26	17	43	45	36	81	
							Constitutional diseases	6	11	17	14	12	26	
							Local diseases	29	17	46	54	37	91	
							Developmental diseases	15	18	33	39	19	58	
							Violent deaths	12	—	12	9	6	15	
February	196	240	436	226	237	463	All causes	89	65	154	148	114	262	
							Zymotic diseases	23	24	47	38	37	75	
							Constitutional diseases	8	6	14	15	11	26	
							Local diseases	29	18	47	44	37	81	
							Developmental diseases	15	13	28	40	28	68	
							Violent deaths	10	3	13	8	—	8	
March	298	272	570	297	278	575	All causes	110	74	184	180	137	317	
							Zymotic diseases	27	23	50	67	45	112	
							Constitutional diseases	11	8	19	16	20	36	
							Local diseases	40	24	64	45	32	77	
							Developmental diseases	21	17	38	39	36	75	
							Violent deaths	10	—	10	11	1	12	
April	265	255	520	290	249	539	All causes	110	121	231	178	138	316	
							Zymotic diseases	33	38	71	52	41	93	
							Constitutional diseases	13	18	31	21	16	37	
							Local diseases	24	32	56	54	40	94	
							Developmental diseases	33	30	63	41	36	77	
							Violent deaths	4	3	7	9	5	14	
May	308	263	571	308	273	581	All causes	135	103	238	165	133	298	
							Zymotic diseases	33	29	62	59	37	96	
							Constitutional diseases	14	14	28	15	16	31	
							Local diseases	51	27	78	41	44	85	
							Developmental diseases	27	29	56	40	35	75	
							Violent deaths	7	1	8	8	—	8	
June	334	332	666	349	372	721	All causes	110	97	207	139	143	282	
							Zymotic diseases	34	32	66	42	41	83	
							Constitutional diseases	12	7	19	10	16	26	
							Local diseases	31	33	64	39	38	77	
							Developmental diseases	23	22	45	38	37	75	
							Violent deaths	8	1	9	6	8	14	
July	270	235	505	310	319	629	All causes	92	59	151	95	64	159	
							Zymotic diseases	14	15	29	15	18	33	
							Constitutional diseases	10	4	14	10	2	12	
							Local diseases	40	28	68	40	26	66	
							Developmental diseases	23	10	33	24	15	39	
							Violent deaths	4	—	4	5	3	8	
August	336	364	700	290	289	579	All causes	102	74	176	94	68	162	
							Zymotic diseases	8	12	20	15	13	28	
							Constitutional diseases	11	9	20	15	9	24	
							Local diseases	55	36	91	42	27	69	
							Developmental diseases	11	15	26	16	17	33	
							Violent deaths	13	1	14	6	1	7	
September	313	302	615	306	303	609	All causes	72	54	126	83	58	141	
							Zymotic diseases	13	10	23	14	12	26	
							Constitutional diseases	8	6	14	19	5	24	
							Local diseases	35	26	61	28	16	44	
							Developmental diseases	11	9	20	16	22	38	
							Violent deaths	5	3	8	4	2	6	
October	252	266	518	284	283	567	All causes	73	53	126	56	51	107	
							Zymotic diseases	9	6	15	8	5	13	
							Constitutional diseases	8	12	20	13	11	24	
							Local diseases	41	21	62	21	18	39	
							Developmental diseases	6	8	14	9	14	23	
							Violent deaths	8	4	12	5	2	7	
November	283	260	543	280	259	539	All causes	109	77	186	97	74	171	
							Zymotic diseases	25	21	46	18	14	32	
							Constitutional diseases	11	11	22	9	8	17	
							Local diseases	37	28	65	41	32	73	
							Developmental diseases	20	14	34	16	13	29	
							Violent deaths	14	2	16	11	7	18	
December	264	263	527	290	213	503	All causes	126	109	235	140	125	265	
							Zymotic diseases	40	33	73	31	28	59	
							Constitutional diseases	10	8	18	21	14	35	
							Local diseases	39	31	70	55	45	100	
							Developmental diseases	22	33	55	20	33	53	
							Violent deaths	13	2	15	7	2	9	
Total Births	3,369	3,303	6,672	3,470	3,312	6,782	Total Deaths	1,220	954	2,174	1,537	1,216	2,753	

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS—*(Continued).*

DECENNIAL RETURN of BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, and DEATHS, registered in the PROVINCE of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

BIRTHS.

Years.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Years.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1857	2,640	2,543	5,183	1862	3,090	2,985	6,075
1858	2,935	2,737	5,672	1863	3,018	2,948	5,966
1859	2,976	2,762	5,738	1864	3,183	3,025	6,208
1860	2,819	2,749	5,568	1865	3,369	3,303	6,672
1861	2,868	2,683	5,551	1866	3,470	3,312	6,782

MARRIAGES.

Solemnized—	Year.									
	1857.	1858.	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.
By the Church of England	493	407	322	301	354	349	338	377	423	325
" " Scotland	23	24	18	18	39	36	37	33	—	—
" Roman Catholics	260	304	236	194	205	230	206	224	236	183
" German Lutherans	90	85	76	76	41	33	27	36	25	48
" Evangelical Lutherans	—	—	1	11	64	56	50	54	60	53
" German Protestant Congregationalists	—	5	4	8	—	9	8	—	—	—
" Congregational Independents	58	65	65	73	92	90	97	100	130	122
" Wesleyans	114	103	97	100	126	127	142	168	171	164
" Free Church of Scotland	48	52	63	99	37	56	57	36	3	1
" United Presbyterian Free Church	—	—	1	—	—	5	—	—	—	—
" Presbyterian Church of South Australia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	119	108
" Christians	5	4	8	3	4	7	7	12	10	14
" Baptists	28	26	21	30	19	25	30	42	31	47
" Bible Christians	44	36	56	39	56	61	56	81	83	81
" Primitive Methodists	28	32	40	35	66	50	57	55	85	94
" Methodist New Connexion	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	10	19	6
" Friends	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—
" Moravians	2	5	5	1	1	2	3	2	4	1
" United Presbyterians	1	4	6	6	12	16	15	18	—	—
" Unitarians	1	4	1	4	5	1	2	4	3	6
" Jews	1	1	2	2	2	2	—	1	2	3
" District Registrars	22	15	23	31	35	33	19	38	31	43
	1,218	1,173	1,045	1,031	1,158	1,189	1,152	1,291	1,436	1,299

DEATHS.

Years.	Age.																							
	Under 2 years.			Under 5 years.			Under 10 years.			Under 30 years.			Under 50 years.			50 and above.			Age unknown.			Total.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
1857	394	338	732	35	40	75	20	8	28	94	83	177	111	69	180	71	37	108	3	1	4	728	576	1,304
1858	609	503	1,112	73	58	131	25	20	45	112	85	197	157	91	248	72	46	118	6	2	8	1,054	805	1,859
1859	570	466	1,036	100	87	187	42	31	73	107	113	220	141	109	250	100	55	155	1	1	2	1,061	862	1,923
1860	711	638	1,349	111	107	218	44	47	91	103	143	246	149	118	267	94	63	157	4	4	8	1,216	1,120	2,336
1861	578	486	1,064	111	92	203	35	35	70	99	101	200	163	97	260	100	54	154	9	2	11	1,095	867	1,962
1862	552	476	1,028	90	82	172	40	34	74	97	114	211	117	68	185	141	100	241	3	4	7	1,040	878	1,918
1863	563	471	1,034	164	165	329	46	52	98	134	143	277	101	102	203	160	105	265	12	3	15	1,180	1,041	2,221
1864	636	578	1,214	201	224	425	71	59	130	141	156	297	168	119	287	126	77	203	5	4	9	1,348	1,217	2,565
1865	572	469	1,041	92	93	185	43	38	81	152	140	292	213	121	334	141	90	231	7	3	10	1,220	954	2,174
1866	773	612	1,385	72	91	163	41	33	74	192	202	394	250	144	394	204	132	336	5	2	7	1,537	1,216	2,753

RETURN of BIRTHS and DEATHS registered in the DISTRICTS of the PROVINCE, during the YEARS 1862 to 1866 inclusive.

Districts.	Births.															Deaths.													
	1862.			1863.			1864.			1865.			1866.			1862.			1863.			1864.			1865.			1866.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Adelaide	1215	1240	2455	1250	1235	2485	1419	1329	2748	1521	1490	3011	1453	1433	2886	520	409	929	622	561	1183	684	585	1269	696	518	1214	828	644	1472
Willunga	52	61	113	67	56	123	69	59	128	64	50	114	73	69	142	12	10	22	25	25	50	20	29	49	11	14	25	25	17	42
Yankalilla	85	69	154	79	75	154	60	67	127	90	73	163	64	64	128	10	14	24	15	18	33	26	20	46	16	12	28	17	24	41
Encounter Bay	90	80	170	71	66	137	61	38	99	87	60	147	79	79	158	17	13	30	13	3	16	20	12	32	18	7	25	18	15	33
Strathalbyn	155	140	295	155	151	306	166	122	288	152	169	321	166	150	316	46	30	76	51	36	87	72	58	130	40	34	74	67	55	122
Robe	64	47	111	62	53	115	58	43	101	49	57	106	52	51	103	12	7	19	16	9	25	9	8	17	9	13	22	13	16	29
Grey	105	103	208	121	100	221	100	97	197	141	120	261	143	138	281	15	10	25	22	11	33	26	14	40	43	21	64	35	53	88
Wellington	6	6	12	9	11	20	8	5	13	13	6	19	5	9	14	—	2	2	3	3	6	—	3	3	2	1	3	2	—	2
Morphett Vale	61	58	119	60	50	110	55	45	100	64	45	109	63	63	126	9	9	18	16	15	31	18	21	39	19	13	32	23	12	35
Mount Barker	63	57	120	52	60	112	53	51	104	50	41	91	48	49	97	20	15	35	21	15	36	33	30	63	16	12	28	27	11	38
Nairne	133	113	246	133	129	262	133	130	263	128	152	280	140	128	268	40	32	72	47	49	96	66	77	143	31	38	69	41	43	84
Talunga	124	107	231	104	87	191	86	90	176	94	71	165	94	92	186	27	39	66	34	25	59	31	29	60	24	16	40	25	23	48
Highercombe	42	34	76	40	28	68	38	39	77	35	38	73	44	40	84	7	18	25	20	12	32	24	15	39	14	8	22	17	9	26
Port Gawler	87	91	178	88	63	151	80	75	155	69	73	142	74	73	147	27	19	46	17	26	43	25	27	52	21	20	41	29	27	56
Crawford	18	14	32	17	18	35	19	10	29	13	15	28	12	17	29	2	2	4	1	5	6	4	2	6	3	2	5	3	3	6
Barossa	124	141	265	117	108	225	126	132	258	150	151	301	147	137	284	31	38	69	63	49	112	63	49	112	36	43	79	44	45	89
Angaston	147	136	283	117	160	277	134	143	277	141	152	293	158	133	291	36	34	70	34	51	85	36	42	78	54	43	97	50	32	82
Kapunda	108	119	227	101	106	207	123	121	244	107	129	236	124	119	243	58	55	113	44	32	76	69	67	136	37	37	74	62	47	109
Gilbert	58	51	109	57	73	130	54	63	117	70	98	168	84	63	147	15	15	30	18	13	31	15	20	35	17	14	31	19	18	37
Burra	177	154	331	135	151	286	127	148	275	137	112	249	134	123	257	88	73	161	33	39	72	38	53	91	47	35	82	60	53	113
Clare	121	110	231	114	105	219	140	156	296	137	131	268	176	142	318	39	26	65	40	27	67	53	50	103	45	33	78	87	34	121
Flinders	27	24	51	41	27	68	41	32	73	27	39	66	40	45	85	5	—	5	5	7	12	9	4	13	12	14	26	9	6	15
Frome	28	30	58	28	36	64	33	30	63	30	31	61	26	28	54	4	8	12	20	10	30	7	2	9	9	6	15	10	4	14
Daly	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	71	67	138	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	26	25	51
	3090	2985	6075	3018	2948	5966	3183	3025	6208	3369	3303	6672	3470	3312	6782	1040	878	1918	1180	1041	2221	1348	1217	2565	1220	954	2174	1537	1216	2753

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS—*(Continued).*

RETURN of the CAUSES of DEATH registered in the PROVINCE of SOUTH AUSTRALIA during the YEARS 1862 to 1866, inclusive.

Causes of Death.	1862.			1863.			1864.			1865.			1866.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
CLASS I.—ORDER I.															
Small-pox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Measles	50	54	104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Scarlatina	13	7	20	135	153	288	243	267	510	4	11	15	1	1	2
Quinsy	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Croup	15	11	26	16	19	35	29	15	44	27	17	44	19	11	30
Whooping-cough	8	14	22	16	22	38	25	38	63	1	1	2	—	—	—
Typhus	22	19	41	15	27	42	27	20	47	38	41	79	114	102	216
Erysipelas	4	2	6	3	3	6	3	1	4	5	3	8	7	3	10
Diphtheria	23	32	55	43	62	105	54	53	107	48	60	108	14	22	36
Carbuncle	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
Metria	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Influenza	4	—	4	6	6	12	3	4	7	5	1	6	9	6	15
Dysentery	52	35	87	36	15	51	34	24	58	37	36	73	57	32	89
Diarrhœa	45	46	91	49	46	95	49	60	109	80	63	143	115	98	213
Cholera	3	—	3	2	1	3	2	3	5	1	2	3	10	8	18
Ague	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Remittent Fever	12	12	24	12	17	29	6	4	10	9	13	22	22	17	39
Rheumatism	2	2	4	9	5	14	2	3	5	8	2	10	4	7	11
ORDER II.															
Syphilis	1	1	2	—	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	2	2	4
Stricture of Urethra	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
Glanders	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—
ORDER III.															
Privation	—	1	1	3	1	4	—	1	1	1	—	1	1	—	1
Want of Breast-milk	—	—	—	4	3	7	6	1	7	3	3	6	8	7	15
Purpura and Scurvy	—	1	1	3	—	3	—	—	—	2	1	3	2	2	4
Alcohol (a. Delirium Tremens	2	1	3	3	1	4	1	1	2	2	—	2	6	—	6
Alcohol (b. Intemperance	1	1	2	—	1	1	2	—	2	6	1	7	1	—	1
ORDER IV.															
Thrush	8	8	16	3	3	6	10	10	20	6	5	11	10	9	19
CLASS II.—ORDER I.															
Gout	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	1
Dropsy	13	11	24	13	9	22	20	17	37	24	25	49	25	24	49
Cancer	10	10	20	8	16	24	6	8	14	8	17	25	16	11	27
Noma	—	1	1	—	—	—	2	1	3	—	—	—	1	—	1
Mortification	2	2	4	1	1	2	3	1	4	4	3	7	3	5	8
ORDER II.															
Scrofula	2	1	3	1	1	2	2	1	3	2	1	3	1	1	2
Tabes Mesenterica	4	9	13	2	6	8	4	5	9	9	1	10	8	17	25
Phthisis	74	67	141	59	59	118	53	50	103	60	58	118	103	73	176
Hydrocephalus	24	16	40	21	8	29	15	9	24	15	9	24	20	9	29
CLASS III.—ORDER I.															
Cephalitis	—	2	2	9	3	12	7	7	14	5	1	6	4	3	7
Apoplexy	12	11	23	13	9	22	18	10	28	15	11	26	22	9	31
Paralysis	3	5	8	10	4	14	9	7	16	9	8	17	8	4	12
Insanity	—	1	1	2	2	4	2	2	4	—	3	3	2	1	3
Tetanus	3	2	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Epilepsy	4	3	7	—	7	7	5	2	7	5	2	7	5	4	9
Convulsions	85	77	162	89	60	149	95	74	169	84	67	151	99	82	181
Brain D., &c.	39	48	87	50	23	73	45	25	70	57	30	87	83	44	127
Chorea	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
ORDER II.															
Pericarditis	—	—	—	1	1	2	2	1	3	1	—	1	3	—	3
Aneurism	3	—	3	2	—	2	2	1	3	2	—	2	2	—	2
Heart D., &c.	33	21	54	38	34	72	56	25	81	48	31	79	53	43	96
ORDER III.															
Laryngitis	8	5	13	2	6	8	9	7	16	6	6	12	7	10	17
Bronchitis	24	13	37	31	27	58	54	52	106	31	22	53	23	24	47
Pleurisy	1	2	3	4	3	7	3	3	6	1	1	2	2	—	2
Pneumonia	25	17	42	35	19	54	20	25	45	34	17	51	20	30	50
Asthma	5	—	5	5	—	5	2	5	7	4	1	5	5	2	7
Lung D., &c.	21	13	34	27	32	59	44	32	76	36	35	71	39	33	72
ORDER IV.															
Gastritis	12	7	19	4	6	10	5	15	20	5	4	9	15	19	34
Enteritis	20	14	34	16	12	28	13	12	25	14	21	35	29	19	48
Peritonitis	1	6	7	9	8	17	3	4	7	2	4	6	3	7	10
Ascites	2	1	3	4	1	5	2	5	7	1	6	7	2	2	4
Ulceration of Intestines	1	2	3	4	1	5	4	—	4	5	—	5	3	1	4
Hernia	1	1	2	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	1	1	4	3	7
Ileus	5	—	5	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
Intussusception	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	1	2	3
Stricture of Intestines	—	—	—	2	1	3	—	2	2	3	—	3	2	—	2
Fistula	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stomach D., &c.	10	9	19	2	9	11	9	4	13	17	11	28	11	8	19
Pancreas D., &c.	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS—*(Continued)*.

RETURN of the CAUSES of DEATH registered—*(Continued)*.

Causes of Death.	1862.			1863.			1864.			1865.			1866.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
CLASS III.—ORDER IV.—*(Continued)*.															
Hepatitis	2	1	3	5	3	8	2	—	2	15	3	18	3	3	6
Jaundice	7	5	12	6	3	9	2	7	9	6	4	10	5	3	8
Liver D., &c.	8	3	11	18	13	31	12	12	24	23	13	36	18	22	40
Spleen D., &c.	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—
ORDER V.															
Nephritis	—	1	1	1	—	1	3	2	5	2	1	3	5	1	6
Ischuria	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	1
Diabetes	1	—	1	1	—	1	1	1	2	1	—	1	3	—	3
Stone	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
Cystitis	2	—	2	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	1	6
Kidney D., &c.	6	2	8	7	9	16	8	2	10	10	5	15	11	4	15
Nephria	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
ORDER VI.															
Ovarian Dropsy	—	1	1	—	3	3	—	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Uterus D., &c.	—	4	4	—	5	5	—	6	6	—	7	7	—	4	4
ORDER VII.															
Joint D., &c.	2	—	2	1	1	2	1	—	1	1	3	4	1	—	1
ORDER VIII.															
Phlegmon	5	1	6	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	—	1	—	1	1
Ulcer	5	6	11	6	1	7	3	1	4	3	1	4	3	1	4
Skin D., &c.	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	1	1	2	3	—	—	—
CLASS IV.—ORDER I.															
Premature Birth	7	6	13	17	11	28	22	14	36	23	17	40	20	15	35
Disease of Spine	—	1	1	3	2	5	1	2	3	—	—	—	2	2	4
Other Malformations	—	2	2	2	—	2	1	6	7	8	1	9	3	3	6
Teething	34	41	75	39	42	81	29	23	52	42	35	77	64	69	133
ORDER II.															
Paramenia	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Childbirth	—	17	17	—	25	25	—	27	27	—	28	28	—	33	33
ORDER III.															
Old Age	12	9	21	14	14	28	21	14	35	12	18	30	18	23	41
ORDER IV.															
Atrophy and Debility	131	90	221	122	92	214	114	122	236	142	119	261	231	160	391
CLASS V.—ORDER I.															
Accident and Negligence	49	22	71	73	24	97	70	24	94	96	16	112	76	36	112
ORDER III.—(Homicide).															
Murder and Manslaughter	1	1	2	—	—	—	1	1	2	3	—	3	1	—	1
ORDER IV.															
Suicide	3	3	6	3	3	6	4	—	4	4	4	8	12	1	13
ORDER V.															
Execution	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other violent deaths	—	—	—	3	1	4	2	—	2	5	—	5	—	—	—
Sudden deaths (cause unstated)	9	5	14	3	1	4	9	1	10	3	4	7	—	—	—
Cause not specified, or ill-defined	34	33	67	28	28	56	28	28	56	24	17	41	24	15	39
Total	1040	878	1,918	1180	1041	2,221	1348	1217	2,565	1220	954	2,174	1537	1216	2753

JOHN F. CLELAND, Registrar-General of Births, Marriages, and Deaths.

CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

RETURN of the NUMBER of PATIENTS treated, discharged, and died, in ADELAIDE HOSPITAL, during the YEARS 1857 to 1866.

Year.	Remaining in Hospital, 1st January.			Admitted.			Treated.			Discharged.			Died.			Remaining in Hospital last day of year.			Daily average number in Hospital.			Average duration of stay of Patients in Hospital.			
																						Acute diseases.		Chronic diseases.	
																						No. of Days.			
	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	M.	F.
1857	—	—	86	344	236	580	390	276	666	—	—	521	46	16	62	—	—	83	47	41	88	22	26	107	132
1858	43	40	83	397	209	606	443	246	689	—	—	529	51	18	69	55	36	91	49	39	88	23	26	84	127
1859	55	36	91	447	290	737	502	326	828	401	268	669	45	22	67	56	36	92	57	40	97	23	22	110	136
1860	56	36	92	429	314	743	485	350	835	387	306	693	41	18	59	57	26	83	57	40	97	22	23	120	109
1861	57	26	83	455	257	712	512	283	795	410	230	640	45	20	65	57	33	90	57	32	89	17	18	76	83
1862	57	33	90	476	276	752	533	309	842	411	252	663	45	15	60	77	42	119	65	41	106	18	19	97	95
1863	77	42	119	563	401	964	640	443	1,083	521	373	894	55	34	89	64	36	100	71	43	114	18	17	90	85
1864	64	36	100	603	349	952	667	385	1,052	536	322	858	52	27	79	79	36	115	75	43	118	17	17	88	76
1865	79	36	115	681	350	1031	760	386	1,146	585	314	899	77	33	110	98	39	137	82	39	121	18	18	89	80
1866	98	39	137	747	373	1120	845	412	1,257	655	335	990	93	31	124	97	46	143	95	43	138	17	19	85	81

CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS—*(continued).*

RETURN of the number of PATIENTS treated, discharged, and died in the ADELAIDE HOSPITAL, during the YEAR 1866.

Diseases.		Remaining in Hospital, Jan. 1, 1866.		Admitted during 1866.		Treated.		Total treated.	Discharged.						Deaths.			Remaining in Hospital, Dec. 31, 1866.	
									Cured.			Relieved.							
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.
Class I.	Fever purpural	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—
Order 1.	Febricula	—	—	10	14	10	14	24	10	14	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Varicella	—	—	2	2	2	2	4	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—
	Scarlatina	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Typhoid fever	4	1	83	61	87	62	149	62	45	107	—	—	—	23	15	38	2	2
	Erysipelas	—	1	4	5	4	6	10	1	5	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1
	Diphtheria	—	1	—	4	—	5	5	—	5	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Rubeola	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Carbuncle	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Influenza	1	1	4	4	5	5	10	3	5	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—
	Dysentery	3	—	12	1	15	1	16	14	—	14	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1
	Diarrhœa	—	2	4	3	4	5	9	2	4	6	—	1	1	1	—	1	1	—
	Rheumatism	9	—	61	25	70	25	95	67	25	92	1	—	1	—	—	—	2	—
	Remittent fever	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Cynanche tonsillaris	4	—	—	4	4	4	8	1	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	2
	Erythema nodosum	—	—	1	1	1	1	2	—	1	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
	Tracheitis	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Pertussis	—	1	3	1	3	2	5	3	1	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Furunculus	—	—	—	2	—	2	2	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Rheumatic fever	—	—	16	6	16	6	22	8	6	14	—	—	—	1	—	1	7	—
	Cynanche parotidea	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
Order 2.	Ptyalism	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Rupture of urethra	—	—	2	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	—
	Dysuria	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Syphilis	5	—	23	13	28	13	41	22	12	34	1	—	1	1	—	1	4	1
	Gonorrhœa	2	—	3	9	5	9	14	3	9	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—
	Hydrocele	1	—	4	—	5	—	5	3	—	3	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	—
	Paraphymosis	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Condylomata	—	—	1	2	1	2	3	1	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Stricture of urethra	4	—	11	—	15	—	15	9	—	9	1	—	1	1	—	1	4	—
	Orchitis	1	—	8	—	9	—	9	7	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—
	Onanism	—	—	1	4	1	4	5	1	4	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Order 3.	Purpura and scurvy	2	—	19	2	21	2	23	21	2	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Alcoholismus and Delirium Tremens	—	—	9	5	9	5	14	7	5	12	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—
Order 4.	Porrigo favosa	—	—	3	1	3	1	4	3	1	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Class II.	Anœmia	—	—	—	4	—	4	4	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Order 1.	Gangrene	—	1	2	—	2	1	3	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1
	Tumours	—	1	4	3	4	4	8	3	1	4	—	1	1	—	—	—	1	2
	Gout	—	—	2	—	2	—	2	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Dropsy	1	2	5	4	6	6	12	1	1	2	1	2	3	2	1	3	2	2
	Cancer	2	—	5	4	7	4	11	1	—	1	—	2	2	4	1	5	2	1
Order 2.	Cachexia	—	—	2	—	2	—	2	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Hysteria	—	1	—	13	—	14	14	—	13	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Tabes mesenterica	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
	Phthisis	2	—	33	8	35	8	43	2	—	2	18	4	22	14	3	17	1	1
	Hœmoptysis	—	3	4	2	4	5	9	2	4	6	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	1
	Cephalæa	—	—	4	—	4	—	4	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
	Hydrocephalus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Morbus coxarius	—	2	—	2	—	4	4	—	—	—	—	4	4	—	—	—	—	—
	Tuberculosis	1	—	—	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Class III.	Trismus	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Order 4.	Apoplexy	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
	Cephalalgia	3	—	—	—	3	—	3	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Hypochondriasis	—	—	4	2	4	2	6	4	2	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Paralysis	3	1	10	2	13	3	16	3	2	5	8	1	9	1	—	1	1	—
	Insanity	—	—	5	2	5	2	7	1	—	1	3	1	4	—	1	1	1	—
	Epilepsy	3	1	4	3	9	4	13	1	1	2	5	2	7	—	—	—	3	1
	Disease of eyes	6	5	58	17	64	22	86	56	19	75	5	1	6	—	—	—	3	2
	Chorea	—	2	—	1	—	3	3	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Spinal disease	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
	Congestion of brain	—	—	4	—	4	—	4	1	—	1	—	—	—	3	—	3	—	—
	Vertigo	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Order 2.	Aneurism	1	—	2	—	3	—	3	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	1	—
	Heart disease	—	1	12	8	12	9	21	1	5	6	2	3	5	9	1	10	—	—
	Palpitatio	—	—	1	3	1	3	4	1	3	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Order 3.	Bronchitis	1	1	11	6	12	7	19	6	3	9	4	1	5	1	—	1	1	3
	Empyema	—	—	2	—	2	—	2	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
	Dyspnæa	—	—	—	2	—	2	2	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Pleurisy	—	—	4	2	4	2	6	4	2	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Pneumonia	—	—	3	3	3	3	6	2	—	2	—	—	—	1	3	4	—	—
	Asthma	—	2	2	4	2	6	8	—	—	—	2	4	6	—	—	—	—	2
	Struma	—	—	5	2	5	2	7	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	2
Order 4.	Gastritis	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Peritonitis	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Fistula	1	—	1	2	2	2	4	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	1	1
	Hydatids of liver	1	—	2	—	3	—	3	1	—	1	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
	Cirrhosis	—	—	3	—	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	3	—	—
	Hernia	—	—	5	1	5	1	6	1	1	2	1	—	1	2	—	2	1	—
	Hepatitis	—	—	7	—	7	—	7	4	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—
	Icterus	1	—	1	2	2	2	4	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—
	Enlargement of liver	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Hœmorrhoids	2	—	1	—	3	—	3	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—
	Stomach diseases	—	—	31	16	31	16	47	25	13	38	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	3
	Pyrosis	2	1	—	—	2	1	3	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Order 5.	Infiltration of urine into cellular tissue	—	—	2	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—
	Hœmaturia	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Nephria	—	1	10	2	10	3	13	1	—	1	7	2	9	2	1	3	—	—
	Ischuria	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
	Stone	—	—	2	1	2	1	3	—	1	1	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	—
	Cystitis	—	—	—	2	—	2	2	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—
	Lumbago	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Disease of prostate	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
Order 6.	Ovarian dropsy	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Varicocele	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
Order 7.	Joint diseases	3	—	13	4	16	4	20	13	3	16	—	1	1	2	—	2	1	—
	Synovitis	—	—	3	1	3	1	4	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	2	—
	Necrosis	—	—	6	—	6	—	6	6	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Periostitis	1	—	2	3	3	3	6	2	3	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
Order 8.	Cellulitis	—	—	3	—	3	—	3	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Abscesses and ulcers	4	3	64	26	68	29	97	56	27	83	4	1	5	2	—	2	6	1
	Lepra	1	—	—	1	1	1	2	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	1
	Skin diseases	—	—	1	4	1	4	5	1	4	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Pruritus	—	—	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Class IV. Order 1.	Teething	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS—*(Continued).*

RETURN of the number of PATIENTS treated, discharged, and died in the ADELAIDE HOSPITAL—*(Continued).*

Diseases.		Remaining in Hospital, Jan. 1, 1866.		Admitted during 1866.		Treated.		Total treated.	Discharged						Deaths.			Remaining in Hospital, Dec. 31, 1866.	
									Cured			Relieved.							
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.
Order 2.	Puerperal mania	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Prolapsus uteri	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Dysmenorrhœa	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Childbirth	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Menorrhagia	—	—	—	4	—	4	4	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Amenorrhœa	—	—	—	4	—	4	4	—	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Order 3.	Senility	—	—	1	1	1	1	2	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Order 4.	Debility	1	2	15	10	16	12	28	14	9	23	1	—	1	—	1	1	1	2
	Marasmus	—	—	1	—	8	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
Class V.	Concussion	2	—	6	1	8	1	9	6	1	7	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—
Order 1.	Wounds and injuries	5	—	35	3	40	3	43	37	2	39	—	—	—	2	1	3	1	—
	Sunstrokes	—	—	3	—	3	—	3	2	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
	Fractures	5	—	21	4	26	4	30	18	4	22	—	—	—	4	—	4	4	—
	Contusions	—	—	15	4	15	4	19	14	3	17	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—
	Dislocations	—	—	3	1	3	1	4	3	1	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Order 3.	Burns	—	1	2	1	2	2	4	1	1	2	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1
	Poisoning	—	—	3	—	3	—	3	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Total	98	39	747	373	845	412	1,257	583	302	885	72	33	105	93	31	124	97	46

Average daily number in Hospital, during the year 1866—95 Males, 43 Females; Total, 138.
Average duration of stay of patients in Hospital:—Acute diseases—Males, 17 days; Females, 19 days. Chronic diseases—Males, 85 days; Females, 81 days.

R. W. MOORE, Colonial Surgeon.

RETURN of number of PATIENTS treated, discharged, and died in the LUNATIC ASYLUM from 1st Jan., to 31st Dec., 1866.

Diseases.	Remaining in Asylum, Jan. 1, 1866.				Admitted during the Year 1866.				Treated.		Total treated.	Daily average No. in Asylum during period		Discharged.						Deaths.			State of Patients remaining in Asylum, Dec. 31, 1866.			
	Without payment of Fees.		On payment of Fees.		Without payment of Fees.		On payment of Fees.							Cured.			Relieved.						Without payment of Fees.		On payment of Fees.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Amentia	1	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	1	3	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	3	3	—	—
Dementia	33	21	2	1	8	5	6	2	49	29	78	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	3	4	7	70	57	6	4
Mania	46	45	3	4	27	10	2	7	78	66	144	—	—	22	6	28	1	3	4	4	2	6	30	25	—	4
Melancholia	23	15	—	1	10	2	—	5	33	23	56	—	—	5	—	5	—	4	4	1	1	2	15	4	1	2
Not insane	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	103	81	5	6	45	21	8	14	161	121	282	114	92	27	8	35	1	7	8	8	8	16	118	89	7	10

ARTHUR HARRISON, M.D., Resident Medical Officer.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the number of LUNATICS treated in the LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Year.	Remaining in Asylum, 1st January.			Admitted.			Total treated.			Discharged.			Died.			Remaining in Asylum on last day of Year.			Daily average number in Asylum.		
	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.
1857	—	—	73	—	—	65	—	—	138	—	—	38	—	—	13	—	—	87	—	—	84
1858	—	—	87	—	—	76	—	—	163	—	—	41	—	—	11	—	—	111	—	—	96
1859	61	50	111	47	31	78	108	81	189	25	18	43	13	5	18	70	58	128	62	52	114
1860	70	57	127	60	19	79	130	76	206	36	12	48	11	5	16	83	59	142	77	57	134
1861	83	59	142	39	29	68	122	88	210	23	10	33	7	3	10	92	75	167	86	66	152
1862	92	75	167	45	28	73	137	103	240	25	19	44	12	7	19	100	77	177	98	73	171
1863	100	77	177	55	28	83	155	105	260	31	18	49	14	6	20	110	81	191	105	78	183
1864	110	81	191	51	24	75	161	105	266	33	13	46	17	4	21	111	88	199	111	83	194
1865	111	88	199	39	24	63	150	112	262	30	20	50	11	5	16	108	87	195	107	88	195
1866	108	87	195	53	35	88	161	122	283	28	15	43	8	8	16	125	99	224	114	92	206

DECENNIAL RETURN of the average number of DESTITUTE POOR supported or relieved by the GOVERNMENT of SOUTH AUSTRALIA (exclusive of Patients in the Adelaide Hospital and Lunatic Asylum).

	Males.									Females.									Totals.				
	England.		Ireland.		Scotland.		Other Countries.		Total.	England.		Ireland.		Scotland.		Other Countries.		Total.					
	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.		Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.	Adults.	Children.		England.	Ireland.	Scotland.	Other Countries.	Grand Totals.
In-Door.*																							
1857	17	18	4	9	2	2	1	—	53	25	16	21	8	2	—	2	—	74	76	42	6	3	127
1858	30	25	5	14	3	9	1	—	87	26	20	14	12	6	3	2	3	86	101	45	21	6	173
1859	25	24	6	16	3	2	2	2	80	29	20	11	6	4	1	4	4	79	98	39	10	12	159
1860	24	26	5	17	2	4	4	2	84	30	21	15	3	4	2	4	3	82	101	40	12	13	166
1861	22	20	5	12	3	1	3	1	67	26	20	12	3	2	1	4	1	69	83	32	7	9	136
1862	23	20	6	3	3	1	2	—	58	22	21	9	2	1	—	2	1	58	86	20	5	5	116
1863	22	23	8	5	5	—	4	1	68	21	20	7	7	1	2	2	1	61	86	27	8	8	129
1864	31	20	9	10	6	—	3	2	81	21	23	13	7	—	1	—	—	65	95	39	7	5	146
1865	38	27	9	16	6	—	5	—	101	29	22	13	10	2	1	—	—	77	116	48	9	5	178
1866	46	31	16	31	8	—	10	1	143	30	25	16	14	5	—	—	—	90	132	77	13	11	233
Out-Door.†																							
1857	15	38	3	8	2	4	6	2	78	32	71	6	23	5	9	1	4	151	156	40	20	13	229
1858	16	39	4	9	2	5	4	3	82	31	87	8	22	4	9	2	1	164	173	43	20	10	246
1859	23	73	7	23	3	6	5	7	147	46	142	11	40	4	8	6	7	264	284	81	21	25	411
1860	22	135	6	32	2	9	4	10	220	28	145	6	37	3	11	4	10	244	330	81	25	28	464
1861	20	139	7	42	1	9	3	9	230	16	116	5	37	3	11	2	9	199	291	91	24	23	429
1862	13	93	6	42	1	9	2	4	170	11	98	7	44	3	8	2	4	177	215	99	21	12	347
1863	18	118	5	48	4	13	1	7	214	16	116	5	49	3	13	2	7	211	268	107	33	17	425
1864	20	106	6	47	3	9	2	4	197	26	130	5	48	2	9	2	3	225	282	106	23	11	422
1865	25	129	9	59	3	13	2	9	249	32	136	11	65	4	15	4	10	277	322	144	35	25	526
1866	68	278	20	110	7	24	9	50	566	80	279	34	100	15	33	6	31	578	705	264	79	96	1,144

* The inmates comprised in this return may be classed as follows, namely—Aged and infirm, sick and deserted children. No able-bodied person is at any time admitted into the Destitute Asylum.

† All the male adults specified in this return were relieved in consequence of sickness, on a medical certificate. Many of the females received out-door relief from similar causes. The residue, with the whole of the children enumerated in the table, were relieved in consequence either of the death of the husband, or the desertion of the family by the husband.

EDWD. HOLTHOUSE, Superintendent.

DECENNIAL RETURN of SUMS expended by the GOVERNMENT of SOUTH AUSTRALIA for the undermentioned SERVICES (exclusive of Buildings, &c.).

Years.	Medical and Hospital.	Lunatic Asylum.	Destitute Poor.	Total each Year.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1857	8,780 19 0	2,957 3 0	5,047 10 8	16,785 12 8
1858	7,235 14 8	3,159 12 1	5,296 10 9	15,691 17 6
1859	5,888 14 1	3,266 17 1	6,624 15 3	15,780 6 5
1860	6,325 3 10	3,728 18 9	7,309 0 0	17,363 2 7
1861	5,922 9 11	4,301 9 6	5,794 14 8	16,018 14 1
1862	5,444 2 6	4,482 11 11	4,409 10 11	14,336 5 4
1863	6,316 8 0	4,663 17 5	4,907 17 10	15,888 3 3
1864	6,572 5 2	5,151 1 8	6,314 8 7	18,037 15 5
1865	7,646 13 0	5,851 3 5	8,178 17 8	21,676 14 1
1866	8,740 10 5	9,526 8 6	13,759 1 4	32,026 0 3
Totals	68,873 0 7	47,089 3 4	67,642 7 8	183,604 11 7

W. L. O'HALLORAN, Auditor-General.

CRIME.

RETURN of the NUMBER of CASES HEARD and DETERMINED in the MAGISTRATES' COURTS (Criminal Side) during the YEARS 1864, 1865, and 1866.

SUMMARY JURISDICTION.	Cases heard and determined.									Informations laid and not proceeded with.		
	Convictions.			Dismissals.			Totals.					
	1864.	1865.	1866.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1864.	1865.	1866.
INFORMATIONS UNDER ACTS OF COUNCIL, ETC.												
Animals Protection Act .. No. 23, 1864 ..	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—
Auctioneers' Act .. .. " 9, 1862 ..	6	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	1	—	—
Bread Act .. .. .. " 10, 1845 ..	2	—	4	—	1	4	2	1	8	—	—	3
Cattle Slaughtering .. .. " 5, 1840 ..	5	2	3	1	3	1	6	5	4	2	1	1
Conveyances, Public .. .. " 19, 1853, &c...	3	—	2	—	—	1	3	—	3	—	—	2
Convicts, Prevention .. .. " 18, 1857-8 ..	1	—	—	1	—	1	2	—	1	—	1	—
Coroners' Act .. .. .. " 7, 1850 ..	2	5	1	1	—	—	3	5	1	1	—	—
Corporation, Municipal .. .. " 16, 1861, &c...	179	101	124	34	28	24	213	129	148	43	54	66
Customs .. .. .. " 19, 1864 ..	3	4	—	1	4	—	4	8	—	1	1	1
Destitute Poor .. .. .. " 2, 1863 ..	8	1	5	1	2	—	9	3	5	3	—	—
Diseased Cattle Act .. .. " 12, 1861 ..	2	1	—	1	—	—	3	1	—	—	—	—
Distillation Act .. .. " 16, 1857-8 ..	1	—	1	—	—	3	1	—	4	—	—	4
District Councils .. .. " 10, 1858, &c...	13	8	14	7	2	6	20	10	20	4	1	3
Dogs (to abate nuisance of) .. " 9, 1860, &c...	90	67	101	25	28	44	115	95	145	20	31	60
Epidemic Act .. .. .. " 3, 1850 ..	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Electoral Act .. .. .. " 20, 1861 ..	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Friendly Societies .. .. " 22, 1852 ..	—	5	1	1	1	—	1	6	1	—	—	—
Gunpowder Act .. .. .. " 17, 1860 ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
Hawkers' Act .. .. .. " 3, 1863 ..	4	1	1	1	—	1	5	1	2	5	1	—
Impounding Act .. .. .. " 8, 1858 ..	206	179	148	45	34	41	251	213	189	28	26	31
Institute, South Australian, Act " 19, 1863 ..	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Lands, Crown, Act .. .. " 9, 1853, &c...	139	169	213	13	25	34	152	194	247	26	39	19
Lands, Waste, Act .. .. " 18, 1858 ..	100	73	59	3	11	6	103	84	65	3	3	5
Licensing (Publicans') .. .. " 9, 1863 ..	78	55	63	36	28	30	114	83	93	23	11	9
Limited Liability Act .. .. " 20, 1853, &c...	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	2	—	—	—
Local Court .. .. .. " 15, 1861 ..	6	7	12	1	1	1	7	8	13	—	2	2
Lunatics .. .. .. " 21, 1864, &c...	49	49	61	16	18	26	65	67	87	—	2	—
Maintenance of Deserted Wives, &c. " 11, 6 Vict., &c.	70	55	75	17	34	28	87	89	103	28	36	27
Marine Board Act .. .. " 17, 1860 ..	108	64	53	13	14	8	121	78	61	5	—	3
Masters and Servants .. .. " 7, 1863 ..	131	172	137	44	60	74	175	232	211	66	70	61
Militia Act .. .. .. " 9, 1854, &c...	—	—	2	1	—	—	1	—	2	1	—	—
Passenger Act .. .. .. 18 & 19 Vict. cap. 119	5	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—
Pawnbrokers' Act .. .. No. 16, 1851 ..	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Police .. .. " 10, 1863 ..	765	785	851	164	186	244	929	971	1,095	64	86	91
Post Office .. .. .. " 4, 1861, &c...	3	3	1	—	1	—	3	4	1	—	1	1
Railways .. .. .. " 7, 1847 ..	12	12	3	1	1	—	13	13	3	1	—	—
Recovering Possession of Tenements " 8, 1843 ..	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
Roads .. .. " 17, 1852, &c...	11	16	4	4	4	5	15	20	9	1	2	1
Scab in Sheep .. .. .. No. 19, 1859, &c...	7	10	9	1	—	6	8	10	15	1	2	—
Shipping Act, Merchant .. 17 & 18 Vict.; 1854	66	132	108	29	15	21	95	147	129	2	6	7
Stubble Burning, &c. .. .. No. 10, 1858 ..	47	57	27	11	17	15	58	74	42	5	2	1
Thistles (for destruction of) .. " 26, 1862 ..	3	2	4	—	12	2	3	14	6	1	2	1
Volunteer Act .. .. .. " 18, 1865-6, &c.	—	—	3	—	—	—	5	—	3	—	—	1
Waterworks' Act .. .. " 15, 1863 ..	3	—	10	2	—	3	—	—	13	3	—	1
Assaults, Common	404	467	411	117	169	185	521	636	596	118	156	145
Assaults, Indecent	—	7	5	2	4	2	2	11	7	—	—	—
Damage, Wilful	18	23	32	11	10	10	29	33	42	7	6	6
Deserters from Army	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Stealing Dogs	—	—	2	1	1	1	1	1	3	—	—	1
Stealing Fences	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Stealing from Garden	5	4	2	6	4	4	11	8	6	—	1	—
Sureties of the Peace	76	86	82	15	11	17	91	97	99	10	19	21
Contempt of Court	—	4	—	—	1	—	—	5	—	—	—	—
	2,632	2,632	2,635	628	732	850	3,260	3,364	3,485	474	563	574
Drunkenness in Streets	1,153	1,530	1,706	79	105	137	1,232	1,635	1,843	5	34	12
Totals	3,785	4,162	4,341	707	837	987	4,492	4,999	5,328	479	597	586

CRIME—*(continued)*.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the NUMBER of CASES HEARD and DETERMINED in the MAGISTRATES' COURTS (Summary Jurisdiction).

Years.	Informations under Acts of Council, etc.		Drunkenness.		Total number of cases heard and determined.	Informations laid and not proceeded with.
	Dismissals.	Convictions.	Dismissals.	Convictions.		
1857	552	2,145	68	1,184	3,949	276
1858	599	2,087	122	1,227	4,035	323
1859	591	2,108	118	1,115	3,932	368
1860	459	2,002	37	866	3,364	339
1861	523	2,132	33	893	3,581	453
1862	554	2,139	34	891	3,618	495
1863	636	2,368	37	1,030	4,071	423
1864	628	2,632	97	1,153	4,492	479
1865	732	2,632	105	1,530	4,999	597
1866	850	2,635	137	1,706	5,328	586

RETURN of the number of CASES PRELIMINARILY INVESTIGATED in the MAGISTRATES' COURTS (Criminal Jurisdiction) during the YEARS 1864, 1865, and 1866.

Felonies.	Result of Investigation.											
	Committed to Supreme Court.			Committed to Local Court.			Cases Dismissed.			Totals.		
Offences against the Person—	1864.	1865.	1866.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1864.	1865.	1866.
Administering noxious drugs to procure miscarriage	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Assaults, Felonious, with intent to steal	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	8
Assault, Felonious	2	—	2	—	—	—	1	3	4	3	3	6
Attempt to Murder	3	1	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	5
Bigamy	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	2
Murder	2	2	3	—	—	—	1	1	2	3	3	5
Manslaughter	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	—	1
Rape	2	4	5	—	—	—	3	2	—	5	6	5
Stabbing, cutting, wounding, with intent to do bodily harm	9	3	3	—	—	—	8	4	3	17	7	6
Robbery under arms	—	—	14	—	—	—	1	—	7	1	—	21
Sodomy	1	4	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	3	5	—
Suicide, attempt to commit	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	8	2	3	8
Throwing Corrosive Fluid	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—
Totals	22	15	38	—	—	—	19	14	30	41	29	68
Offences against Property—												
Arson	1	1	2	—	—	—	1	—	1	2	1	3
Breaking and entering dwelling-houses and stealing therefrom	5	8	2	—	—	1	3	1	3	8	9	6
Breaking and entering into office and stealing therefrom	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	1
Burglary	—	1	7	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	3	7
Cattle stealing	—	4	6	—	—	—	—	6	5	—	10	11
Embezzlement	2	16	14	—	—	1	—	4	1	2	20	16
Forging and uttering	11	8	20	—	1	—	—	1	5	11	10	25
Horse stealing	4	8	10	—	—	—	2	6	5	6	14	15
Killing, maiming, and wounding cattle	1	—	1	—	2	1	—	1	3	1	3	5
Larceny	18	66	41	64	37	80	53	76	104	135	179	225
Larceny by a servant	7	14	9	1	1	1	3	2	1	11	17	11
Receiving stolen goods	—	—	—	—	1	1	3	9	1	3	10	2
Sheep stealing	1	2	2	—	—	—	3	1	2	4	3	4
Stealing from the person	4	6	3	1	—	—	12	9	3	17	15	6
Stealing in dwelling-house	2	16	13	5	5	3	5	4	4	12	25	20
Stealing from vessel in harbor	5	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	2
Uttering counterfeit coin	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1
Breach of Prison	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
Totals	61	155	133	71	47	88	85	122	139	217	324	360
Total number of felonies	83	170	171	71	47	88	104	136	169	258	353	428
Misdemeanors.												
Arson, attempt to commit	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—
Assaults, Common	1	5	3	16	19	41	1	7	4	18	31	48
Assaults, Aggravated	—	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	4	—
Assaults on infants under ten years of age	4	4	2	—	1	—	1	—	—	5	5	2
Assaults with intent to ravish	—	4	9	—	—	1	1	2	3	1	6	13
Concealment of birth	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—
Forcible entry	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
Fraud	3	2	1	—	2	—	2	2	4	5	6	5
Nuisance	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Obstructing railway trucks	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	2
Obtaining money and goods under false pretences	8	6	6	1	8	13	3	5	12	12	19	31
Perjury	2	3	5	—	—	—	8	2	4	10	5	9
Libel	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
Insolvent concealing Goods	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
Using defaced postage stamps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1
Total number of misdemeanors	21	27	32	17	32	56	16	19	29	54	78	117
Totals	104	197	203	88	79	144	120	155	198	312	431	545

CRIME—*(Continued.)*

DECENNIAL RETURN of the number of CASES PRELIMINARILY INVESTIGATED in the MAGISTRATES' COURTS (Criminal Jurisdiction.)

How disposed of.	1857.	1858.	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.
Committed to Supreme Court	119	150	168	145	125	117	125	104	197	203
Committed to Local Court Full Jurisdiction	123	125	113	98	120	90	74	88	79	146
Cases dismissed	103	118	167	181	137	129	135	120	155	198
Totals	345	393	448	424	382	336	334	312	431	547

Compiled from Returns furnished by Stipendiary Magistrates.

J. BOOTHBY, Government Statist.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the number of OFFENDERS CONVICTED in the SUPREME COURT of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Offences.	1857.	1858.	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.
FELONIES.										
Offences against the person—										
Arson	1	1	—	—	1	2	1	—	1	1
Highway robbery	3	4	2	2	—	—	1	—	—	3
Manslaughter	5	3	3	—	1	2	8	1	5	1
Murder	1	4	—	1	3	3	—	—	—	1
Accessory after murder	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—
Rape	—	1	1	3	1	1	—	—	2	—
Carnally abusing a girl under ten years of age	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Stabbing, cutting, or shooting, with intent to do bodily harm	2	1	1	2	—	1	1	1	2	2
Bigamy	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	1	—	—
Administering drugs to procure abortion	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Attempt to murder	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—
Robbery under arms, and wounding	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Felonious assault	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
	12	14	7	8	8	10	11	4	12	15
Offences against property—										
Breaking and entering dwelling-houses and stealing therefrom	4	2	1	1	2	1	5	2	5	2
Burglary	1	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	1	—
Burglariously breaking and entering dwelling-houses, and stealing therefrom	—	1	2	3	—	—	—	—	1	1
Cattle stealing	1	—	3	2	2	—	1	—	1	2
Embezzlement by clerks, &c.	2	6	4	—	—	1	2	5	10	6
Horse stealing	4	4	6	8	1	3	5	4	5	7
Killing, &c., horses	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Larceny	5	9	7	10	10	13	8	9	25	17
Larceny by servant	7	4	11	11	8	4	2	3	10	7
Larceny and former conviction	—	4	8	3	7	—	9	—	5	3
Larceny of promissory note, &c.	—	—	1	3	—	1	—	—	—	—
Receiving stolen goods	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	1	1
Sheep stealing	—	1	2	—	—	2	1	—	1	1
Stealing in dwelling-houses	6	11	9	1	1	3	8	4	11	5
Stealing from the person	5	4	9	6	6	6	6	4	12	5
Forgery	4	4	9	8	6	6	6	4	6	11
Uttering forged documents					1	3	6	2	3	4
Impairing coin of the realm	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
	40	51	74	59	45	43	60	37	98	72
Total felonies	52	65	81	67	53	53	71	41	110	87
MISDEMEANORS.										
Unlawfully wounding	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
Assault with intent to commit rape	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	6	1	—
Assault and aggravated assaults	15	4	2	4	3	3	5	11	9	5
Concealment of birth	—	1	1	1	1	—	—	2	—	1
Indecent assault	2	3	5	1	1	3	4	1	9	6
Libel	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Perjury	—	—	—	2	2	1	2	—	3	—
Obtaining money or goods under false pretences	2	2	3	1	2	2	4	9	2	3
Forcible entry on land	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Total misdemeanors	21	10	12	11	9	11	15	29	24	20
Total convictions	73	75	93	78	62	64	86	70	134	107

L. J. PELHAM, Clerk of Arraigns.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the number of CRIMINALS EXECUTED within the PROVINCE of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

	1857.	1858.	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	Total.
White persons	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	2
Aborigines	—	—	—	1	*8	1	—	—	—	—	10
Totals	—	—	—	1	8	3	—	—	—	—	12

* Two cases of murder, all concerned.

WILLIAM R. BOOTHBY, Sheriff.

EDUCATION.

RETURN of the NUMBER of SCHOOLS LICENSED by the CENTRAL BOARD OF EDUCATION, NUMBER of SCHOLARS, &c., during the YEARS 1862, 1863, 1864, 1865, and 1866.

District.	No. of Licensed Schools.	No. of Licensed		Scholars at Licensed Schools (including Destitute Children and Orphans).				At the Government Free School for Destitute Children and Orphans.			Per centage of Scholars at Schools in the respective Districts.	Per centage of Boys and Girls at the Schools collectively.	Per centage of Average Attendance to Nos. on Roll.	Average of Scholars on Roll at each Licensed School.	Average Attendance of Scholars at each Licensed School.	Proportion of Scholars to the Population, including those at Private Schools (estimated).	Total Number of District Schoolhouses to the erection of which Government has granted aid.
		Schoolmasters.	Schoolmistresses.	Number on the Roll.			Average attendance.	Boys.	Girls.	Totals.							
				Boys.	Girls.	Total.											
1866.												1862.					
City of Adelaide	22	8	14	966	543	1,509	1,220				10·2	Boys, 53·7 Girls, 46·3	78·0	50·3	38·8	1 in every 7·6	48
												1863.					
Other Corporate Towns..	18	10	8	793	523	1,316	1,038	58	42	100	8·9	Boys, 55·3 Girls, 44·7	77·5	47·7	37·0	1 in every 7·7	53
												1864.					
Country Districts	252	175	77	6,401	5,464	11,865	9,214				80·9	Boys, 54·4 Girls, 45·6	79·5	48·5	38·5	1 in every 7·7	56
												1865.					
	1862	227	155	72	6,130	5,287	11,417	8,810	33	24	57	100	Boys, 55·5 Girls, 44·5	79·7	49·1	38·7	1 in every 7·7	62
	1863	247	164	83	6,510	5,259	11,769	9,119	35	36	71	100					
Totals	1864	267	174	93	7,046	5,913	12,959	10,293	18	22	40	100	1866.				
	1865	279	180	99	7,596	6,090	13,686	10,812	53	42	95	100	Boys, 55·5 Girls, 44·5	78·0	50·0	39·9	1 in every 7·7	68
	1866	292	193	99	8,160	6,530	14,690	11,472	58	42	100	100					

FINANCIAL RETURN for the YEARS 1862, 1863, 1864, 1865, and 1866 (the whole of the following amounts—except those for Official Salaries, Contingencies of Department, and the cost of the Government Free School—were disbursed through the agency of the Central Board of Education).

Years.	Expenditure by Central Board of Education during the years 1862, 1863, 1864, 1865, and 1866.					Amount of School Fees received by Teachers from Parents, &c., of Scholars.	Average Amount paid by Government for each Scholar.	Average Amount of School Fees paid by Parents, &c., for each Scholar.	Total Average Cost of each Child's Education during the year, exclusive of Officers' Salaries and Contingencies.	Destitute and Orphan Children.		Average expense of each Licensed School, Officers' Salaries and Contingencies included.	Total amount granted to date in aid of erection of District Schoolhouses.
	In aid of erecting Schoolhouses.	Stipends to Licensed Teachers.	Official Salaries and Contingencies.	Fees paid by Government for Education of Destitute Children and Orphans.	Expenses attending Government Free School for Destitute Children and Orphans.*	Totals.				Average Cost of each Child attending the Licensed Schools.	Average Cost of each Child at Government Free School.*		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1862.....	761 0 0	11,551 10 0	1,496 10 6	860 12 0	182 10 0	14,852 2 6	10,695 3 0	1 0 $2\frac{3}{4}$	1 0 $4\frac{1}{5}$	2 0 $5\frac{3}{4}$	1 19 $0\frac{3}{4}$	3 4 $0\frac{1}{5}$	61 5 $4\frac{1}{2}$	9,133 16 4
1863.....	670 0 0	12,118 0 0	1,524 4 3	986 11 6	180 0 0	15,478 15 9	12,010 2 6	1 0 7	1 2 $4\frac{1}{2}$	2 1 0	2 1 $2\frac{1}{5}$	2 10 $8\frac{1}{2}$	55 3 6	9,803 16 4
1864.....	791 5 0	12,914 0 0	1,538 17 0	1,006 13 0	180 0 0	16,430 15 0	12,555 10 0	0 19 11	1 1 0	2 0 $10\frac{1}{4}$	1 19 $11\frac{1}{4}$	4 10 0	57 18 0	10,595 1 4
1865.....	704 10 0	13,611 18 0	1,566 13 9	979 4 9	200 0 0	17,062 6 6	13,047 12 6	0 19 $10\frac{1}{2}$	1 0 6	2 0 $4\frac{1}{2}$	1 18 $9\frac{3}{4}$	2 2 1	57 17 9	11,209 11 4
1866.....	1,654 15 0	14,662 13 6	2,071 7 0	1,106 7 0	200 0 0	19,695 2 6	14,622 12 0	1 1 $5\frac{1}{2}$	0 19 $2\frac{1}{2}$	2 0 8	2 0 $0\frac{1}{4}$	2 0 0	61 1 $11\frac{1}{4}$	12,864 6 4

* Exclusive of Board, Clothing, and Household Expenses.

EDWD. W. WICKES, Secretary to Central Board of Education.

EDUCATION, ETC. (continued).

DECENNIAL RETURN of the NUMBER of BOOKS, &c., at the SOUTH AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE.

Year ending 30th September.	Total number of books in library at end of year.	Total number of books circulated during the year.	Number of Subscribers.	Income.			Expenditure.
				Subscriptions and other sources.	Aid from Government.	Amounts received from Government (being undistributed balances of the Country Institutes Grants) to be expended for the benefit of the Country Institutes generally, and which are included in the preceding column.	
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1857	—	15,773	614	457 3 0	1,000 0 0	Nil.	830 17 4
1858	—	20,000	480	425 0 0	1,000 0 0	Nil.	1,203 5 11
1859	7,356	32,329	527	509 15 0	*750 0 0	Nil.	1,639 14 0
1860	8,187	31,121	545	499 6 9	†783 18 11	33 18 11	1,623 10 8
1861	10,691	36,067	743	782 8 5	1,161 3 0	172 11 6	2,045 13 5
1862	11,142	44,343	885	1,014 11 7	1,096 18 0	96 18 0	2,023 3 8
1863	12,291	52,914	914	954 5 9	1,074 1 3	74 1 3	2,100 5 11
1864	12,344‡	55,417	944	1,233 18 3	1,455 10 1	80 10 1	2,679 1 0
1865	12,031‡	57,564	1,022	1,282 6 1	1,746 7 10	308 17 10	2,720 11 6
1866	12,885	56,666	967	1,180 13 2	1,939 16 2	502 6 2	2,881 1 2

* Three quarterly instalments of vote of £1,000 only received to date. † Grant for 1860—61, was only £500.
‡ A considerable number of worn out or otherwise useless books were weeded out during these two years. For 1865 and subsequent years, the number of books stated, is that contained in the Library at the time of the annual examination which takes place in the first week of May, in each year.

RETURN of NUMBER of BOOKS, &c., in COUNTRY MECHANICS INSTITUTES in SOUTH AUSTRALIA, during the YEARS 1859 to 1866.

	Number of Books in Libraries, July 1st.	Number of Subscribers, July 1st.	Annual Income (not including Government Grant) for year ending July 1st.	Amount of Government Grant last received.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Twenty Country Institutes, 1859	8,811	941	495 12 11	511 18 0
Twenty-two‡ " 1860	10,845	1,051	947 18 10	402 9 11
Nineteen‖ " 1861	10,923	945	899 7 3½	327 8 6
Twenty-seven§ " 1862	13,024	1,272	1,212 18 10	403 2 0
Twenty-seven¶ " 1863	13,663	1,255	1,196 17 8	432 18 9
Thirty-three** " 1864	16,557	1,500	1,442 10 7	419 9 11
Thirty-nine†† " 1865	19,977	1,605	1,445 7 6	677 18 7* / 408 16 10†
Thirty-eight‡‡ " 1866	22,558	1,520	2,070 11 2	1,074 7 0

* For six months, to 30th June, 1865.
† For six months to 31st December, 1865. ‡ Five new Institutes, no return received. ‖ Three new Institutes, no return received.
§ Several of these have been formed or revived within the year; there were also three Institutes from which no returns have been received, and four new ones recently affiliated, or seeking to be so.
¶ Three of these have been formed within the year. There are also three of the existing Institutes from which returns have not yet been received, and three new ones which have been established since July 1, 1863, as well as two which are at present dormant, or nearly so. In addition to the above there are two Institutes not at present affiliated to the South Australian Institute; making the total number in the Province thirty-seven, of which, thirty-five are in active operation.
** In addition to the above, seven Institutes have been affiliated to the South Australian Institute during 1864, for which returns cannot at present be given; one is making application to be affiliated, and two are believed to be in existence although not now connected with the South Australian Institute, making a total number of forty-three in operation in the Province. There are also several others in a dormant state, of which it is not necessary to take account.
†† In addition to the above, one Institute hes been affiliated to the South Australian Institute during the year, for which returns cannot be given, one is seeking to be affiliated, and two others are believed to be in existence, though not connected with the South Australian Institute, making a total of forty-three at present in existence.
‡‡ In addition to the above, twe Institutes have been affiliated to the South Australian Institute during the year, for which returns cannot be given, and three others are believed to be in existence, making a total of forty-three. The return of annual income is necessarily larger this year, on account of the Fancy Fair held by the Gawler Institute, in aid of its building fund.

ROBERT KAY, Secretary South Australian Institute.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the AMOUNTS EXPENDED by the GOVERNMENT of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, under the HEAD of SERVICE "EDUCATION."

Year.	Amount of Expenditure.	Year.	Amount of Expenditure.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1857	13,512 14 5	1863	16,974 4 9
1858	16,172 11 8	1864	18,388 17 0
1859	18,240 15 10	1865	19,174 19 9
1860	14,818 17 10	1866	21,683 8 10
1861	14,991 10 6		
1862	16,179 16 10	Total	170,137 17 5

W. L. O'HALLORAN, Auditor-General.

EDUCATION ETC.—*(Continued.)*

DECENNIAL RERURN of the NUMBER of DAY SCHOOLS in the PROVINCE to which GOVERNMENT AID has been afforded through the CENTRAL BOARD of EDUCATION, and of SCHOLARS attending the same.

Year.	Number of Schools.	Number of Licensed Teachers.		Number of Scholars.		
		Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Total.
1857	147	102	65	4,040	3,440	7,480
1858	182	113	69	4,395	3,842	8,237
1859	198	126	72	4,944	4,338	9,282
1860	210	131	79	5,275	4,568	9,843
1861	219	143	76	5,861	4,850	10,711
1862	227	155	72	6,130	5,287	11,417
1863	247	164	83	6,510	5,129	11,769
1864	267	174	93	7,046	5,913	12,959
1865	279	180	99	7,596	6,090	13,686
1866	292	193	99	8,160	6,530	14,690

EDW. W. WICKES, Secretary to Central Board of Education.

ELECTORAL FRANCHISE.

RETURN showing the ELECTORAL DISTRICTS of the Province, and number of RRGISTERED ELECTORS on the ROLLS, in the YEARS 1862, 1863, 1864, 1865, and 1866.

Name of Electoral District.	Number of Names Enrolled.									
	Legislative Council.					House of Assembly.				
	1862.	1863.	1864.*	1865.	1866.	1862.	1863.	1864*	1865.	1866.
East Adelaide	1,046	1,136	664	716	733	1,756	1,820	1,160	1,188	1,299
West Adelaide	1,115	1,138	876	780	780	2,000	2,044	1,274	1,498	1,498
Port Adelaide	732	846	745	884	959	1,438	1,799	1,831	2,264	2,876
West Torrens	704	714	713	563	568	1,118	1,108	1,108	1,081	1,058
Yatala	707	716	496	494	460	1,140	1,154	811	810	761
Gumeracka	630	632	728	750	742	1,201	1,215	1,234	1,239	1,245
East Torrens	1,027	1,120	762	827	877	1,479	1,528	1,182	1,228	1,228
The Sturt	693	689	544	594	539	998	985	771	775	828
Noarlunga	661	608	588	600	600	1,165	1,068	1,040	1,058	1,058
Mount Barker	1,151	1,170	1,009	1,027	1,019	1,850	1,924	1,657	1,684	1,572
Onkaparinga	945	973	782	797	802	1,820	1,513	1,180	1,262	1,259
Encounter Bay	687	700	564	596	597	1,007	1,130	1,002	974	1,006
Barossa	880	888	778	810	828	1,453	1,450	1,233	1,282	1,298
Light	1,140	1,307	838	1,189	1,291	1,809	2,144	1,273	1,932	2,114
Victoria	336	388	561	617	708	931	1,049	1,239	1,551	1,747
The Burra	606	574	426	454	531	1,695	1,504	1,193	1,261	1,263
Stanley	885	879	863	927	976	1,361	1,368	1,456	1,539	1,602
Flinders	119	161	111	215	281	595	1,043	316	963	1,100
Totals	14,064	14,639	12,048	12,840	13,291	24,816	25,929	20,960	23,589	24,812

Number of Districts, eighteen. Number of Members, thirty-six; two for each District.

* New Rolls prepared, under clause 15 of Act 20 of 1861.

WILLIAM R. BOOTHBY, Returning Officer of the Province.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the GENERAL ABSTRACTS for the HALF-YEARS ended 30th June and 31st December, 1866, showing the AVERAGE AMOUNT of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the several BANKS, within the Province of South Australia, taken from their Weekly Statements.

LIABILITIES.

Banks.	Half-year.	Notes in circulation.	Bills in circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits.	Total average Liabilities.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
South Australian Banking Company	June	85,132 1 4	1,251 6 3	33,291 0 7	422,778 0 0	542,452 8 2
	December	62,518 14 7	648 12 3	24,275 12 11	355,672 19 7	443,115 19 4
Bank of Australasia	June	42,328 0 0	1,008 7 5	—	255,724 15 6	299,061 2 11
	December	30,022 0 0	1,208 7 5	—	220,682 9 6	251,912 16 11
Union Bank	June	16,695 9 3	4,009 4 2	—	253,529 14 8	274,234 8 1
	December	13,109 16 11	3,344 9 7	—	211,203 12 10	227,657 19 4
National Bank	June	129,030 6 10	3,304 1 7	4,904 11 10	557,585 16 9	694,824 17 0
	December	92,474 14 1	3,091 9 10	5,337 13 0	434,945 8 11	535,849 5 10
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank	June	34,124 10 9	—	—	111,507 9 7	145,632 0 4
	December	26,351 15 11	2,962 19 3	189 11 5	90,813 4 10	120,317 11 5
Bank of Adelaide	June	10,161 12 4	4,955 12 0	805 3 9	53,673 3 3	69,595 11 4
	December	14,895 6 8	30,991 1 0	2,407 11 10	88,247 13 9	136,541 13 3
Totals of Averages	June	317,472 0 6	14,528 11 5	39,000 16 2	1,654,798 19 9	2,025,800 7 10
	December	239,372 8 2	42,246 19 4	32,210 9 2	1,401,565 9 5	1,715,395 6 1

ASSETS.

Banks.	Half-year.	Coined gold, silver, and other metals.	Gold and silver in bullion or ingots.	Government Securities.	Landed property and Bank premises.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Notes and Bills discounted, and other debts to Banks, not before enumerated.	Total average Assets.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
South Australian Banking Company	June	125,941 1 1	2,250 19 11	—	18,800 19 7	4,457 10 11	27,009 9 4	859,804 9 6	1,038,264 10 4
	December	80,980 5 2	—	—	23,735 10 0	3,389 9 5	30,440 16 11	951,899 19 9	1,090,446 1 3
Bank of Australasia	June	41,476 8 5	1,400 13 0	—	10,580 0 0	5,215 19 2	—	426,782 7 10	485,455 8 5
	December	54,288 3 0	—	—	10,322 4 5	2,914 3 0	—	445,576 0 9	513,100 11 2
Union Bank	June	72,706 15 4	—	—	13,027 10 3	2,402 17 2	—	328,168 18 3	416,306 1 0
	December	58,111 12 7	—	—	13,022 19 11	2,416 19 0	—	385,705 12 2	459,257 3 8
National Bank	June	117,910 4 1	—	4,600 0 0	28,648 5 8	6,584 7 8	24,723 16 4	868,917 1 9	1,051,383 15 6
	December	77,580 17 10	—	4,600 0 0	32,044 3 11	6,739 0 1	19,248 19 11	819,896 6 8	960,109 8 5
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank	June	23,608 1 2	—	—	3,696 13 7	3,795 19 7	115 9 1	293,830 18 2	325,047 1 7
	December	22,606 17 1	9 6 7	—	4,083 0 10	3,178 15 6	129 18 11	294,519 17 9	324,527 16 8
Bank of Adelaide	June	10,414 6 8	—	—	852 9 2	1,060 14 8	34,838 7 7	108,789 6 3	155,955 4 4
	December	25,350 3 2	—	—	3,196 10 0	7,973 1 9	13,606 11 6	222,494 13 9	272,621 0 2
Totals of Averages	June	392,056 16 9	3,651 12 11	4,600 0 0	75,605 18 3	23,517 9 2	86,687 2 4	2,886,293 1 9	3,472,412 1 2
	December	318,917 18 10	9 6 7	4,600 0 0	86,404 9 1	26,611 8 9	63,426 7 3	3,120,092 10 10	3,620,062 1 4

J. BOOTHBY, Government Statist.

EXCHANGE, CURRENCY, ETC.—*(Continued).*

RETURN showing the COURSE of EXCHANGE on DRAFTS, issued by the various BANKS during the YEAR 1866.

Period.	South Australian Banking Company.		Bank of Australasia.		Union Bank of Australia.		National Bank of Australasia.		English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank.		Bank of Adelaide.	
	On London, at sixty days' sight, per cent.	On neighboring Colonies, at three days' sight, per cent.	On London, at sixty days' sight, per cent.	On neighboring Colonies, at three days' sight, per cent.	On London, at sixty days' sight, per cent.	On neighboring Colonies, at three days' sight, per cent.	On London, at sixty days' sight, per cent.	On neighboring Colonies, at three days' sight, per cent.	On London, at sixty days' sight, per cent.	On neighboring Colonies, at three days' sight, per cent.	On London, at sixty days' sight, per cent.	On neighboring Colonies, at three days' sight, per cent.
	Premium.	Premium.	Premium.	Premium.	Premium.	Premium.	Premium.	Premium.	Premium.	Premium.	Premium.	Premium.
First Quarter	½	½	½	½	½	½	½, 1	½	½, 1	½	½	½
Second "	½, 2	½	½, 2	½	½, 2	½	½, 2	½	½, 2	½	½, 2	½
Third "	2, 3	½	2, 3	½	2, 3	½	2	½	2, 3	½	2, 3	½
Fourth "	1½, 1	½	1	½	3, 1, 1½, 1	½	2, 1	½, 1	1	½	1	½

Tasmania, Queensland, and New Zealand, ½, 1 per cent.; Western Australia, 2 per cent. premium.

RETURN showing the COURSE of EXCHANGE on PRIVATE BILLS, purchased by the several BANKS during the YEAR 1866.

Period.	South Australian Banking Company.		Bank of Australasia.		Union Bank of Australia.		National Bank of Australasia.		English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank.		Bank of Adelaide.	
	On London, at sixty days' sight, per cent.	On neighboring Colonies, at fifteen days' sight, per cent.	On London, at sixty days' sight, per cent.	On neighboring Colonies, at fifteen days' sight, per cent.	On London, at sixty days' sight, per cent.	On neighboring Colonies, at fifteen days' sight, per cent.	On London, at sixty days' sight, per cent.	On neighboring Colonies, at fifteen days' sight, per cent.	On London, at sixty days' sight, per cent.	On neighboring Colonies, at fifteen days' sight, per cent.	On London, at sixty days' sight, per cent.	On neighboring Colonies, at fifteen days' sight, per cent.
First Quarter	1 disc.	1 disc.	½ disc.	1 disc.	1 disc.	1 disc.	1 disc.	1 disc.	1 disc.	1 disc.	½ disc.	1 disc.
Second "	1 dis., par	1 "	½, 1 "	1 "	1 "	1 "	1 "	1 "	1 dis., par	1 "	½, 1 "	1 "
Third "	par.	1 "	par	1 "	par	1 "	½ prem.	1 "	par, 1 pre.	1 "	par	1 "
Fourth "	1 disc.	1 "	1 disc.	1 "	1 disc.	1 "	½, 1 dis.	1 "	1 disc.	1 "	1 disc.	1 "

Tasmania, New Zealand, and Queensland, half per cent. additional.

STATEMENT showing the RATES of INTEREST allowed to DEPOSITORS by the several BANKS during the YEAR 1866.

Interest on fixed deposits, £200 and upwards, for one month, at £3 per cent. per annum.
Ditto ditto on any sum, for three months, £4 " "
Ditto ditto ditto for six months, £5 " "
Ditto ditto ditto for twelve months, £6 " "
Special arrangements for particular lodgments.

AMOUNT OF COIN IN CIRCULATION*

DECENNIAL RETURN of the AVERAGE AMOUNT of COIN and BULLION held by the several BANKS.

Years.	South Australian Banking Company.	Bank of Australasia.	Union Bank of Australia.	National Bank of Australasia.†	English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank.‡	Bank of Adelaide.§	Total average amount of coin and bullion held during each year.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1857.....	209,263 14 0	67,396 18 0	72,733 12 5	—	—	—	349,394 4 5
1858.....	195,643 3 1	71,002 9 10	65,384 0 0	—	—	—	332,029 12 11
1859.....	145,885 13 0	55,101 2 7	59,890 11 2	33,436 16 4	—	—	294,314 3 1
1860.....	122,033 18 11	57,323 18 0	39,894 11 9	74,381 3 5	—	—	293,633 12 1
1861.....	118,761 1 3	76,167 19 4	48,300 15 2	89,694 3 6	—	—	332,923 19 3
1862.....	102,021 15 9	79,412 7 3	36,179 19 6	74,298 1 3	—	—	291,912 3 9
1863.....	128,906 10 10	52,035 3 3	33,800 6 3	97,292 5 3	—	—	312,034 5 7
1864.....	143,241 19 5	55,546 6 5	44,898 10 11	124,167 7 1	27,567 17 7	—	395,422 1 5
1865.....	148,285 17 11	65,500 17 7	70,571 1 8	137,492 1 7	24,779 0 0	—	446,628 18 9
1866.....	112,273 18 10	48,926 0 0	65,409 3 11	97,745 11 0	23,112 2 5	17,882 4 11	365,349 1 1

* No means existing of accurately ascertaining the amount of coin in circulation, the above return of the average amount of coin and bullion held by the Banks is substituted in lieu thereof.

† Branch established, December, 1858. ‡ Branch established, April, 1864. § Established, December, 1865.

AMOUNT OF PAPER CURRENCY IN CIRCULATION.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the AVERAGE AMOUNT of NOTES of the several BANKS in CIRCULATION.

Years.	South Australian Banking Company.	Bank of Australasia.	Union Bank of Australia.	National Bank of Australasia.*	English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank.†	Bank of Adelaide.‡	Total average amount of notes in circulation during each year.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1857.....	147,219 12 4	48,043 2 4	37,414 11 8	—	—	—	232,677 7 4
1858.....	128,742 3 4	42,218 8 5	36,776 0 0	—	—	—	207,736 11 9
1859.....	120,301 11 8	42,407 14 2	33,965 5 3	30,009 19 4	—	—	226,684 10 5
1860.....	88,505 11 8	40,163 0 0	24,257 10 4	77,024 4 2	—	—	229,950 6 2
1861.....	84,828 3 4	43,872 2 0	21,332 1 11	91,651 7 9	—	—	241,683 15 0
1862.....	78,554 6 8	40,091 6 6	20,562 18 6	94,339 9 5	—	—	233,548 1 1
1863.....	77,950 16 8	36,533 11 2	18,227 1 4	104,753 4 10	—	—	237,464 14 0
1864.....	101,741 16 8	39,724 0 9	20,438 13 8	143,321 9 10	7,058 3 0	—	312,284 3 11
1865.....	103,732 0 0	44,941 16 11	19,612 11 6	145,315 4 2	26,719 0 0	—	340,320 12 7
1866.....	71,488 0 0	29,272 0 0	14,902 13 1	110,752 10 6	30,238 3 4	12,528 9 6	269,181 16 5

* Branch established in Adelaide, December, 1858. † Branch established, April, 1864. ‡ Established, December, 1865.

J. BOOTHBY, Government Statist.

EXCHANGE, CURRENCY, ETC.—*(Continued).*

RETURN of the NUMBER of DEPOSITORS, AMOUNT DEPOSITED, &c., in the SAVINGS BANK of the PROVINCE of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, during each YEAR from 1848 to 1866, inclusive.

Year.	Number of new Accounts opened during year.	Number of Depositors at the close of each year.	Increase of Depositors over previous year.	Amount deposited in each year.	Amount withdrawn in each year.	Amount of Depositors' Balances at the close of each year, including Interest.	Rate of Interest allowed to Depositors.	Amount of Reserve Fund at the close of each year.	Total Funds, 31st December, each year.	Rents, Salaries, Stationery, and all other expenses incurred each year.	Amount lent on Mortgage.	Rate of Interest charged on Mortgage Loans.	Amount of Government Securities, viz., Railway and Waterworks Bonds.
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	℔ cent.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	℔ cent.	£ s. d.
1848	293	214	*Nil.*	6,473 18 5	1,180 14 10	5,313 9 2	3	7 18 3	5,414 8 4	108 17 2	3,100 0 0	10	—
1849	470	421	207	6,753 1 0	4,329 8 6	7,854 10 5	5	95 15 2	7,950 5 7	203 15 5	4,850 0 0	10	—
1850	599	672	251	10,255 6 6	6,808 1 6	11,538 18 10	5	233 3 1	11,772 1 11	200 2 0	7,250 0 0	10	—
1851	705	732	60	15,224 2 6	12,761 18 5	14,340 16 10	5	444 7 5	14,785 4 3	289 8 8	10,470 0 0	10	—
1852	550	837	105	27,619 6 4	11,081 1 1	31,323 2 0	5	801 4 1	32,124 6 1	263 15 5	8,340 0 0	10	—
1853	804	1,263	426	53,053 9 2	30,312 5 5	54,355 5 0	1	986 16 7	55,342 1 7	538 4 0	11,270 0 0	8	—
1854	521	1,255	*Decrease* 8	29,859 14 11	38,917 19 7	51,113 13 2	2½	1,398 17 10	52,512 11 0	573 8 4	32,520 0 0	10	11,600 0 0
1855	529	1,322	67	27,753 6 11	31,671 6 2	48,870 1 5	5	2,489 3 8	51,359 5 1	677 17 8	32,970 0 0	10	11,600 0 0
1856	600	1,469	147	29,328 17 3	27,142 8 7	52,775 7 9	5	4,284 18 4	57,060 6 1	591 16 10	37,170 0 0	10	11,600 0 0
1857	733	1,775	306	37,534 3 2	28,254 18 9	64,668 7 3	5½	5,467 13 4	70,136 0 7	694 2 6	44,070 0 0	10	11,600 0 0
1858	629	1,929	155	35,138 11 7	39,032 15 6	63,880 14 7	6	6,338 15 5	70,219 10 0	606 11 8	46,020 0 0	10	11,600 0 0
1859	706	2,200	271	39,430 11 10	34,906 11 9	71,895 9 5	6	7,550 10 6	79,445 19 11	613 7 1	45,720 0 0	10	11,600 0 0
1860	893	2,567	367	52,293 3 0	38,168 1 4	88,889 19 4	5	9,126 17 9	98,016 17 1	732 14 5	46,520 0 0	10	17,054 0 0
1861	1,081	3,248	681	65,373 6 8	37,627 3 2	121,414 15 7	5	10,175 8 3	131,590 3 10	1,545 3 11	85,457 17 3	7½	17,054 0 0
1862	1,264	3,877	629	79,482 3 6	54,495 19 1	152,663 16 2	5	10,842 18 6	163,506 14 8	1,399 13 0	106,362 6 10	7½	12,400 0 0
1863	1,440	4,711	834	91,783 11 1	63,393 15 0	189,143 11 9	5	12,062 0 8	201,205 12 5	1,451 14 8	127,611 2 5	7½	11,600 0 0
1864	1,806	5,843	1,132	120,924 18 4	87,731 0 7	231,972 6 3	5	13,431 7 11	245,403 14 2	1,748 14 0	138,371 9 11	7½	11,600 0 0
1865	2,333	7,076	1,233	131,115 13 2	115,751 16 5	258,693 7 2	5	15,378 7 2	274,071 14 4	2,677 10 2	181,895 0 2	7½	11,600 0 0
1866	2,135	7,679	603	124,427 8 10	147,524 8 1	249,329 11 10	6	17,370 8 11	266,700 0 9	2,852 18 7	178,862 2 6	7½*	11,600 0 0

18th January, 1862, Branch opened at Port Adelaide. 1st March, 1865, Branch opened at Mount Gambier. 1st April, 1865, Branch opened at Gawler. 17th June, 1865, Branch opened at Kapunda. On the 31st December, 1866, the Agency at Gawler was closed; and on 1st January, 1867, Agencies were opened at the Telegraph Offices in the following Townships—Clare, Gawler, Goolwa, Kooringa, Strathalbyn, and Wallaroo.

* Rate increased to 8 per cent. 30th September, 1866.

H. H. TURTON, Accountant.

GAOLS AND

RETURN of the GAOLS and of the DRY CREEK LABOR PRISON, and of the NUMBER

Name of the Prison, and where situated.	Ages.	Number of Prisoners the Prison is capable of containing in separate cells.	Number of Prisoners the Prison is capable of containing where more than one Prisoner sleeps in one cell.	Number of Prisoners received during the Year 1866.												Greatest number received at any one time.	
				Debtors.		For Trial.		Transferred to Penal Establishment. In Transitu.		Under sentence to Hard Labor.		Under sentence to Imprisonment.		Under sentence to Separate or Solitary Confinement.		Totals.			
				M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Exclusive of Black or	*Colored Persons—*																		
Adelaide Gaol	Under 10 years.	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
	10 to 20 years..	—	—	1	1	11	1	10	—	6	6	40	8	1	1	69	17	—	—
	20 to 30 " ..	—	—	33	1	35	6	27	—	52	19	118	37	1	—	266	63	4	2
	30 to 40 " ..	—	—	32	—	32	4	17	—	35	2	81	11	—	1	197	18	3	1
	40 to 50 " ..	—	—	21	—	11	—	12	—	13	1	30	3	—	1	87	5	2	—
	50 and upwards	—	—	12	—	4	—	10	—	7	1	17	7	1	—	51	8	1	—
	Totals.....	76	248	99	2	94	11	76	—	113	29	288	66	3	3	673	111	10	3
Redruth Gaol	10 to 20 years..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	2	1	—	1
	20 to 30 " ..	—	—	1	—	3	—	2	—	6	—	9	—	—	—	21	—	2	—
	30 to 40 " ..	—	—	2	—	4	—	3	—	3	—	6	—	—	—	18	—	1	—
	40 to 50 " ..	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	4	—	—	—	8	—	—	—
	50 and upwards	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
	Totals	6	30	4	—	9	—	6	—	11	—	21	1	—	—	51	1	3	1
Robe Town Gaol	20 to 30 years..	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	2	1	—	—
	30 to 40 " ..	—	—	1	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	6	—	2	—
	40 to 50 " ..	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	4	1	—	1
	Totals.....	4	20	1	—	4	1	1	—	—	—	6	1	—	—	12	2	2	1
Mount Gambier Gaol.	10 to 20 years..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	20 to 30 " ..	—	—	2	—	2	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	—
	30 to 40 " ..	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	6	—	—	—	12	—	1	—
	40 to 50 " ..	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	10	1	—	—	12	1	2	1
	Totals.....	10	30	5	—	3	—	1	—	7	—	16	1	—	—	32	1	3	1
Wallaroo Gaol	10 to 20 years..	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	3	2	1	1	—	—	8	3	—	—
	20 to 30 " ..	—	—	3	—	2	—	3	—	19	—	6	—	—	—	33	—	4	—
	30 to 40 " ..	—	—	3	—	—	—	2	—	3	2	5	1	—	—	13	3	1	1
	40 to 50 " ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
	50 and upwards	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
	Totals.....	10	30	6	—	2	—	9	—	27	4	14	2	—	—	58	6	5	1
Port Lincoln Gaol ..	20 to 30 years..	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	5	—	—	—
	30 to 40 " ..	—	—	1	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	7	—	3	—
	40 to 50 " ..	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
	Totals.....	2	6	2	—	6	—	1	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	14	—	3	—
Dry Creek Labor Prison	10 to 20 years..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	2	—
	20 to 30 " ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	—	—	—	—	—	24	—	14	—
	30 to 40 " ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	21	—	—	—	—	—	21	—	5	—
	40 to 40 " ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	—	—	—	—	—	14	—	15	—
	50 and upwards	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	3	—
	Totals.....	122	300	—	—	—	—	—	—	78	—	—	—	—	—	78	—	39	—
Black or Colored	*Persons—*																		
Adelaide Gaol	10 to 20 years..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—
	20 to 30 " ..	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	5	1	—	—	—	—	7	1	2	1
	Totals.....	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	5	2	1	—	—	—	8	2	3	1
Redruth Gaol	20 to 30 years..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	4	—	—	—	5	—	1	—
Robe Town Gaol	20 to 30 years..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	4	—	4	—
Mount Gambier Gaol..	20 to 30 years..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—
Wallaroo Gaol	20 to 30 years..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—
Port Lincoln Gaol	20 to 30 years..	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	1	2	1
Dry Creek Labor Prison	20 to 30 years..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	30 to 40 " ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	40 to 50 " ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Totals.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Grand Totals..	230	664	117	2	120	12	96	—	244	35	359	72	3	3	939	124	—	—

PRISONERS.

of PRISONERS confined therein, for the YEAR ended 31st DECEMBER, 1866.

Number who can read and write.		Number who can read only.		Number who cannot read.		Committed before.								Employed.								Gaol Punishments.					
						Once.		Twice.		Thrice or more times.		Totals.		Labor in the Prison.		Labor out of the Prison.		Other Employments.		Totals.		Solitary Confinement.		Other Punishments.		Totals.	
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
52	10	9	7	8	—	2	—	—	—	1	1	3	1	20	14	26	—	—	—	46	14	1	—	—	—	1	—
179	26	26	12	61	25	8	3	2	2	4	13	14	18	91	56	79	—	—	—	170	56	3	—	—	—	3	—
154	14	16	—	27	4	7	1	3	1	1	6	11	8	49	13	67	—	—	—	116	13	—	—	—	—	—	—
71	2	1	1	15	2	5	2	1	—	—	—	6	2	20	4	23	—	—	—	43	4	—	—	—	—	—	—
40	3	7	2	4	3	1	—	2	—	3	3	6	3	11	8	13	—	—	—	24	8	—	—	—	—	—	—
496	55	59	22	118	34	23	6	8	3	9	23	40	32	193	95	208	—	—	—	401	95	4	—	—	—	4	—
—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
18	—	2	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	15	—	—	—	—	—	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	—	4	—	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
36	1	10	—	5	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	32	1	—	—	—	—	32	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	1	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	2	1	6	1	—	—	—	—	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	3	—	—	—	5	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	—	—	—	2	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	11	1	—	—	—	—	11	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
30	—	—	—	2	1	9	—	3	—	—	—	12	—	23	1	—	—	—	—	23	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	1	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	3	—	—	—	—	4	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
23	—	5	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	—	—	—	—	—	25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10	2	—	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	3	—	—	—	—	8	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
42	3	6	3	10	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	41	6	—	—	—	—	41	6	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	—	2	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	—	2	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	14	—	—	—	14	—	3	—	—	—	3	—
21	—	—	—	3	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	2	—	54	—	—	—	56	—	4	—	—	—	4	—
20	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	4	—	3	—	63	—	—	—	66	—	8	—	—	—	8	—
11	—	1	—	2	—	4	—	—	—	1	—	5	—	—	—	33	—	—	—	33	—	10	—	—	—	10	—
6	—	1	—	4	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	21	—	—	—	22	—	2	—	—	—	2	—
64	—	2	—	12	—	13	—	3	—	1	—	17	—	6	—	185	—	—	—	191	—	27	—	—	—	27	—
—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	7	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	7	1	—	—	—	—	7	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	8	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	8	2	—	—	—	—	8	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	7	—	—	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
685	60	79	25	175	39	47	7	17	3	11	23	75	33	326	106	400	—	—	—	726	106	31	—	—	—	31	—

RETURN OF THE GAOLS AND PRISONERS—*(Continued).*

RETURN of the NUMBER of PRISONERS in CONFINEMENT on 31st DECEMBER, 1866, with their OFFENCES, and the DEATHS during the YEAR.

Name of Prison and where situated.	Ages.	Deaths during the Year.		Number in confinement 31st December, 1866.																					
				Felons.						Petty Larceny.						Assaults.				Other Offences and Debtors.				Total in Gaol 31st December.	
				Tried.		Untried.		Totals.		Tried.		Untried.		Totals.		Tried.		Totals.		Tried.		Totals.			
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Exclusive of Black or Colored Persons—																									
Adelaide Gaol	10 to 20 years	—	—	—	3	1	—	1	3	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	4	2	4	2	6	5
	20 to 30 "	—	—	2	10	6	1	8	11	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	14	1	14	1	25	12
	30 to 40 "	—	—	—	4	3	—	3	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	17	—	17	—	22	4
	40 to 50 "	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	3	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	10	—	10	—	10	4
	50 and upwards	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	3	—	4	—
	Totals	—	—	2	20	11	1	13	21	4	1	—	—	4	1	2	—	2	—	48	3	48	3	67	25
Redruth Gaol	20 to 30 years	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	1	1	1	—	1	—	2	—	2	—	4	1
	30 to 40 "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	3	—
	Totals	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	2	1	2	—	2	—	3	—	3	—	7	1
Robe Town Gaol	20 to 30 years	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
	30 to 40 "	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
	Totals	—	—	1	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1
Mount Gambier Gaol	20 to 30 years	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	3	—
	30 to 40 "	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	3	—
	Totals	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	4	—	6	—
Wallaroo Gaol	20 to 30 years	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
	40 to 50 "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	2	—
	Totals	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	3	—
Port Lincoln Gaol	20 to 30 years	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
Dry Creek Labor Prison	10 to 20 years	—	—	10	—	—	—	10	—	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	—
	20 to 30 "	—	—	28	—	—	—	28	—	4	—	—	—	4	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	34	—
	30 to 40 "	—	—	36	—	—	—	36	—	5	—	—	—	5	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	43	—
	40 to 50 "	—	—	19	—	—	—	19	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	21	—
	50 and upwards	—	—	18	—	—	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	—
	Totals	—	—	111	—	—	—	111	—	13	—	—	—	13	—	5	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	129	—
Black or Colored Persons—																									
Adelaide Gaol	20 to 30 years	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1
Redruth Gaol	20 to 30 "	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—
Dry Creek Labor Prison	20 and upwards	—	—	6	—	—	—	6	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—
	Grand Totals	—	—	120	20	13	1	133	21	25	3	—	1	25	4	9	—	9	—	58	3	58	3	225	28

GAOLS AND PRISONERS—*(Continued).*

RETURN of DISEASES that have been most prevalent in the several GAOLS of the PROVINCE, and in the DRY CREEK LABOR PRISON, during the Year 1866.

Diseases.	Adelaide Gaol.	Redruth Gaol.	Robe Town Gaol.	Mount Gambier Gaol.	Wallaroo Gaol.	Total Gaols.	Dry Creek Labor Prison.	Grand Totals.
Brain and nerves	26	4	—	4	1	35	43	78
Circulatory organs	2	—	—	—	—	2	11	13
Respiratory organs	18	—	1	—	—	19	22	41
Alimentary canal	109	—	—	2	—	111	71	182
Urinary organs	3	—	—	—	—	3	7	10
Hepatitis	1	—	—	—	—	1	11	12
Eyes	21	2	—	—	—	23	33	56
Skin	3	—	—	—	—	3	21	24
Cellular texture	1	—	—	—	—	1	11	12
Fevers	7	—	—	—	—	7	6	13
Rheumatic	16	1	1	1	—	19	31	50
Venereal	8	1	—	—	1	10	7	17
Scorbutic	2	—	—	—	—	2	3	5
Ulcers	24	—	—	—	1	25	38	63
Pregnancy and parturition	2	1	—	—	—	3	—	3
Wounds and accidents	7	—	—	—	1	8	97	105
Debility	5	—	2	—	4	11	17	28
Rupture	1	—	—	—	—	1	2	3
Influenza	3	—	—	—	—	3	69	72
Dysentery	9	—	—	2	4	15	50	65
All others	45	2	1	—	3	51	23	74
Total number of cases treated	*313	11	5	9	15	353	573	926
Greatest number of cases treated at any one time	19	2	2	3	3	29	23	—

* Not two and a-half per cent. of patients treated required exemption from hard labor.

DECENNIAL RETURN showing the number of PRISONERS committed to ADELAIDE GAOL, the number previously committed, number in Gaol 31st December in each year, and the greatest number in Gaol at any one time.

Year.	Total number committed during the Year.		Number who had been previously committed.		Greatest number in Gaol at any one time.		Number in Gaol on 31st Dec. in each Year.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
1857	584	158	73	45	70	32	49	33
1858	517	96	121	57	79	28	65	26
1859	447	147	108	100	88	40	49	36
1860	443	125	95	69	56	41	35	34
1861	434	95	39	30	61	38	41	32
1862	464	64	52	23	71	31	47	26
1863	511	81	43	15	92	34	46	27
1864	473	65	39	19	68	30	51	28
1865	543	116	49	31	94	30	63	29
1866	681	113	41	32	111	34	69	26

WILLM. R. BOOTHBY, Sheriff.

DECENNIAL RETURN, showing the number of PRISONERS committed to the DRY CREEK LABOR PRISON, the number previously committed, number in Prison 31st December in each year, and the greatest number in Prison at any one time.

Year.	Total number committed during the Year.		Number who had been previously committed.		Greatest number in Prison at any one time.		Number in Prison on 31st Dec. in each Year.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
1857	83	—	17	—	89	—	84	—
1858	75	—	8	—	105	—	85	—
1859	57	—	21	—	86	—	74	—
1860	75	—	12	—	107	—	96	—
1861	38	—	7	—	96	—	74	—
1862	41	—	11	—	80	—	80	—
1863	59	—	19	—	88	—	86	—
1864	41	—	8	—	85	—	83	—
1865	87	—	16	—	124	—	121	—
1866	78	—	17	—	147	—	136	—

Male prisoners only are incarcerated in the Labor Prison.

F. W. HOWELL, Superintendent of Labor Prison.

DECENNIAL RETURN, showing the TOTAL IMMIGRATION into SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Years.	Great Britain.					British Colonies.					Foreign States.					Totals.				Totals.		Grand Totals.	Excess of Immigration over Emigration.			No. of Immigrants at the Public Expense.		
	Adults.		Children.		Totals.	Adults.		Children.		Totals.	Adults.		Children.		Totals.	Adults.		Children.											
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	Totals.	M.	F.	Totals.
1857	1,910	1,250	536	482	4,178	2,298	713	224	195	3,430	229	187	65	49	530	4,437	2,150	825	726	5,262	2,876	8,138	2,057	1,172	3,229	2,422	1,543	3,965
1858	1,681	1,424	427	358	3,890	2,071	722	207	195	3,195	329	219	111	111	770	4,081	2,365	745	664	4,826	3,029	7,855	2,327	1,919	4,246	1,894	1,659	3,553
1859	865	985	220	250	2,320	1,520	468	123	110	2,221	137	104	45	42	328	2,522	1,557	388	402	2,910	1,959	4,869	639	579	1,218	913	1,098	2,011
1860	503	434	157	145	1,239	2,237	482	135	153	3,007	66	36	11	15	128	2,806	952	303	313	3,109	1,265	4,374	335*	193*	528*	492	480	972
1861	169	96	32	37	334	1,728	600	139	131	2,598	82	61	31	21	195	1,979	757	202	189	2,181	946	3,127	938	112	1,050	18	3	21
1862	448	393	58	73	972	1,387	496	103	125	2,111	84	34	11	18	147	1,919	923	172	216	2,091	1,139	3,230	304	241	545	281	330	611
1863	770	628	194	173	1,765	1,543	553	149	172	2,417	25	18	4	5	52	2,338	1,199	347	350	2,685	1,549	4,234	663	679	1,342	811	688	1,499
1864	1,306	1,020	272	261	2,859	1,861	729	213	180	2,983	52	32	16	16	116	3,219	1,781	591	457	3,720	2,238	5,958	1,944	1,338	3,282	1,459	1,188	2,647
1865	2,300	1,515	534	524	4,873	2,161	774	241	270	3,446	57	46	25	22	150	4,518	2,335	800	816	5,318	3,151	8,469	2,649	2,117	4,766	2,692	1,933	4,625
1866	1,810	1,276	336	304	3,726	1,898	650	234	226	3,008	92	69	30	30	221	3,800	1,995	600	560	4,400	2,555	6,955	1,501	1,319	2,820	2,252	1,639	3,891
Total...	11,762	9,021	2,766	2,607	26,156	18,704	6,187	1,768	1,757	28,416	1,153	806	349	329	2,637	31,619	16,014	4,883	4,693	36,502	20,707	57,209	12,687	9,283	21,970	13,234	10,561	23,795

* Excess of Emigration.

DECENNIAL RETURN, showing the TOTAL EMIGRATION from SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Years.	Great Britain.					British Colonies.*					Foreign States.					Totals.				Totals.		Grand Totals.
	Adults.		Children.		Totals.	Adults.		Children.		Totals.	Adults.		Children.		Totals.	Adults.		Children.				
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
1857	82	63	23	32	200	2,746	1,286	349	314	4,695	2	7	3	2	14	2,830	1,356	375	348	3,205	1,704	4,909
1858	37	52	26	29	144	2,232	861	199	162	3,454	5	6	—	—	11	2,274	919	225	191	2,499	1,110	3,609
1859	72	64	26	28	190	1,878	1,026	284	262	3,450	11	—	—	—	11	1,961	1,090	310	290	2,271	1,380	3,651
1860	127	99	50	48	324	2,915	999	352	312	4,578	—	—	—	—	—	3,042	1,098	402	360	3,444	1,458	4,902
1861	83	88	34	39	244	967	550	159	157	1,833	—	—	—	—	—	1,050	638	193	196	1,243	834	2,077
1862	107	83	29	37	256	1,438	571	210	202	2,421	1	3	2	2	8	1,546	657	241	241	1,787	898	2,685
1863	51	53	17	27	148	1,716	598	238	192	2,744	—	—	—	—	—	1,767	651	255	219	2,022	870	2,892
1864	52	44	13	19	128	1,517	653	187	176	2,533	6	5	1	3	15	1,575	702	201	198	1,776	900	2,676
1865	96	81	26	36	239	2,332	697	211	216	3,456	3	3	1	1	8	2,431	781	238	253	2,669	1,034	3,703
1866	179	146	68	54	447	2,447	851	201	183	3,682	4	2	—	—	6	2,630	999	269	237	2,899	1,236	4,135
Totals	886	773	312	349	2,320	20,188	8,092	2,390	2,176	32,846	32	26	7	8	73	21,106	8,891	2,709	2,533	23,815	11,424	35,239

* Corrected by returns from neighboring Colonies of arrivals from South Australia.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the NUMBER of IMMIGRANTS into SOUTH AUSTRALIA at the PUBLIC EXPENSE.

Years.	No. of Ships.	Average Tonnage	Average No. of Days on Passage.	Average Contract Price for each Adult's Passage.	Total souls Embarked.	Total Births on Passage.	Total Deaths on Passage.	Total souls Landed.	Number of Immigrants arrived.																	
									English.					Scotch.				Irish.					Grand Totals.		
									Adults.		Children.		Totals.	Adults.		Children.		Totals.	Adults.		Children.		Totals.			
									M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	Totals.
				£ s. d.																						
1857	13	781 12-13	100 9-13	14 15 9¼	3,931	65	31	3,965	1,104	683	367	372	2,526	68	42	23	31	164	766	358	94	57	1,275	2,422	1,543	3,965
1858	10	999 7-10	100 1-10	14 7 9½	3,571	46	64	3,553	483	536	215	207	1,441	156	198	42	55	451	884	573	114	90	1,661	1,894	1,659	3,553
1859	6	855⅔	102½	15 0 7¾	2,022	17	28	2,011	324	439	142	166	1,071	92	174	34	41	341	302	255	19	23	599	913	1,098	2,011
1860	3	831⅓	100⅓	15 13 9	966	12	6	972	200	218	87	74	579	125	112	31	36	304	48	34	1	6	89	492	480	972
1861	* —	—	—	— — —	21	—	—	21	—	—	—	—	—	14	2	4	1	21	—	—	—	—	—	18	3	21
1862	+ 2	815	98½	13 3 0	614	4	7	611	118	134	10	31	293	74	79	13	17	183	59	62	7	7	135	281	330	611
1863	4	926	92	14 17 10½	1,516	17	34	1,499	414	326	131	109	980	100	97	29	26	252	126	115	11	15	267	811	688	1,499
1864	8	827½	97⅛	13 16 6½	2,642	28	23	2,647	709	525	191	186	1,611	117	80	22	26	245	372	328	48	43	791	1,459	1,188	2,647
1865	14	789 10-14	92 8-14	12 10 0	4,652	47	74	4,625	1,688	1,107	440	412	3,647	273	184	62	65	584	213	150	16	15	394	2,652	1,933	4,625
1866	10	1,054 1-10	92 7-10	13 3 8¾	3,888	41	38	3,891	931	633	246	217	2,027	344	203	49	56	652	596	480	86	50	1,212	2,252	1,639	3,891
					23,823	277	305	23,795	5,971	4,601	1,829	1,774	14,175	1,363	1,171	309	354	3,197	3,366	2,355	396	306	6,423	13,234	10,561	23,795

* The Immigrants at public expense, being under Assisted Passage certificates, outstanding after cessation of immigration, arrived as opportunity offered.

+ Government Immigration resumed October, 1862.

H. DUNCAN, Immigration Agent.

IMMIGRATION AND EMIGRATION—*(Continued).*

RETURN of IMMIGRATION and EMIGRATION at PORT ADELAIDE, distinguishing the PORTS from whence arrived, and to where departing, during the YEARS 1861 to 1866 inclusive.

	1861.		1862.		1863.		1864.		1865.		1866.	
	Immi-gration.	Emi-gration.	Immi-gration.	Emi-gration.	Immi-gration.	Emi-gration.	Immi-gration.	Emi-gration.	Immi-gration.	Emi-gration.	Immi-gration.	Emi-gration.
Great Britain—												
Glasgow	8	—	—	—	3	—	6	—	—	—	—	—
Leith	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	1	—	—	—
Liverpool	10	—	19	19	455	—	7	—	3	—	1	—
London	313	244	240	237	260	148	185	128	251	232	320	447
Plymouth	—	—	405	—	1,047	—	2,632	—	4,613	—	3,405	—
Southampton	—	—	308	—	—	—	19	—	—	—	—	—
Shields	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—
Swansea	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—
British Possessions—												
Calcutta	—	—	—	22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cape Town	34	—	61	18	121	33	3	1	15	1	10	30
Ceylon, Madras, and Bombay	—	7	—	—	2	50	3	49	—	21	—	43
Mauritius	10	7	18	5	35	7	22	4	8	3	19	7
New Zealand	1	27	3	111	19	316	3	60	39	35	295	29
New South Wales	75	143	117	350	93	153	128	113	64	122	38	148
Queensland	—	—	—	—	—	11	2	20	3	18	2	26
Singapore	4	7	13	1	—	—	—	—	14	—	—	—
Victoria	2,257	1,558	1,713	1,861	1,903	2,119	2,305	2,197	2,668	3,178	2,233	3,301
Van Diemen's Land	18	18	12	1	17	—	6	5	56	10	37	—
Western Australia	204	66	174	52	227	55	511	84	571	68	370	98
British Columbia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	4	—
Foreign Ports—												
Chili	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Guam	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—
Bourbon	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	—	—	—	—
Batavia	—	—	—	8	7	—	—	4	—	—	—	—
Bordeaux	3	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
United States	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	10	—	7	2
Callao	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	5	—	3
Hamburgh	190	—	142	—	45	—	96	—	139	—	208	—
Soederham (Sweden)	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	1	—	6	—
China	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—
Totals	3,127	2,077	3,230	2,685	4,234	2,892	5,958	2,676	8,469	3,703	6,955	4,135
Deduct	2,077	—	2,685	—	2,892	—	2,676	—	3,703	—	4,135	—
Excess of Immigration	1,050	—	545	—	1,342	—	3,282	—	4,766	—	2,820	—
Excess of Emigration	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* The Chinese who arrived from Hongkong in 1862, *en route* for the Victorian Gold Fields, are not included above; because, as they departed from the Province overland, direct from Guichen Bay, their numbers would improperly affect the deductions to be arrived at from the above table.

B. DOUGLAS, Collector of Customs.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the AMOUNTS EXPENDED in connection with IMMIGRATION.

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1857*	62,385 14 5	1863	25,620 7 2
1858	60,082 11 6	1864	38,187 17 2
1859	53,603 17 7	1865	55,383 5 2
1860	23,356 2 1	1866	67,280 9 2
1861	6,983 14 2		
1862	5,222 16 3	Total	£398,106 14 8

* Includes—Female Immigrants' Depôt, £278 12s. 7d.

W. L. O'HALLORAN, Auditor-General.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

TOTAL VALUE in sterling of the IMPORTS and EXPORTS of the PROVINCE of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, from and to each COUNTRY, in the YEAR 1866.

	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of Imports.	Excess of Exports.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
United Kingdom	1,880,273 5 0	1,155,865 10 0	724,407 15 0	—
British Possessions—				
Victoria	402,692 17 0	935,295 3 0	—	532,602 6 0
New South Wales	295,070 15 0	352,553 10 0	—	57,482 15 0
Western Australia	5,031 0 0	44,499 0 0	—	39,468 0 0
Tasmania	26,469 15 0	210 0 0	26,259 15 0	—
New Zealand	4,172 0 0	65,586 0 0	—	61,414 0 0
Queensland	9,366 0 0	107,651 0 0	—	98,285 0 0
Cape	650 0 0	2,692 0 0	—	2,042 0 0
Mauritius	116,973 0 0	8,879 0 0	108,094 0 0	—
India	9,949 16 0	144,121 0 0	—	134,171 4 0
Singapore	—	1,190 0 0	—	1,190 0 0
British Columbia	1,034 0 0	—	1,034 0 0	—
Foreign Countries—				
Batavia	—	2,130 0 0	—	2,130 0 0
China	26,576 0 0	3,500 0 0	23,076 0 0	—
Hamburgh	10,594 0 0	—	10,594 0 0	—
Sweden	8,500 0 0	—	8,500 0 0	—
United States	37,790 0 0	34,565 0 0	3,225 0 0	—
Total	£2,835,142 8 0	£2,858,737 3 0	£905,190 10 0	£928,785 5 0

Net excess of Exports over Imports, £23,594 15s

IMPORTS.

GENERAL IMPORTS into the PROVINCE of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, in the YEAR 1866.

Articles.	Countries whence imported.	Quantities imported. In British vessels.	Quantities imported. In Foreign vessels.	Quantities imported. Totals.	Entered for Home Consumption.	Value in sterling of total Imports.	Amount of Duty received.
						£ s.	£ s. d.
Animals, living ..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—	—	1,198 0	—
	Victoria	—	—	—		15,985 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—		418 0	
	Tasmania	—	—	—		2,430 0	
	Queensland	—	—	—		4,600 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—		40 0	
	India	—	—	—		9,145 0	
		—	—	—		33,816 0	
Apparel and Slops .... value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ 7,078	6,586 0	353 18 0
	Victoria	—	—	—		1,292 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—		8 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—		2 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		98 0	
		—	—	—		7,986 0	
Bacon and Hams..... cwt.	Great Britain	1,486	—	1,486	£ s. 8,430 10	7,952 0	421 10 6
	Victoria	112	—	112		536 0	
	New South Wales	203	—	203		953 10	
	Tasmania.....	21	—	21		90 0	
	Hamburg	—	11	11		63 0	
		1,822	11	1,833		9,594 10	

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						£ s.	£ s. d.
Bags and Sacks, viz., Corn-sacks ..... bales	Great Britain	2,469	—	2,469		35,284 0	
	Victoria	350	—	350		5,484 2	
	New South Wales	82	—	82	—	1,252 0	—
	West Australia ..	15	—	15		225 0	
	Mauritius	6	—	6		88 0	
		2,922	—	2,922		42,333 2	
Bags, viz., Wool-packs, bales	Great Britain	832	—	832		10,091 0	
	Victoria	56	—	56	—	708 0	—
		888	—	888		10,799 0	
Ore-bags ..... bales	Great Britain	182	—	182		4,322 0	
	Victoria	15	—	15	—	181 0	—
	Mauritius	40	—	40		80 0	
		237	—	237		4,583 0	
Beef and Pork ..... cwt.	Great Britain	695	—	695	£ s.	2,188	
	Victoria	404	—	404	3,456 10	1,016 0	172 16 6
	New South Wales	333	—	333		823 10	
		1,432	—	1,432		4,027 10	
Beer in wood ..... gallons	Great Britain	196,562	—	196,562	gals.	21,354 0	
	Victoria	13,661	—	13,661	195,265	1,922 0	4,881 12 6
	Hamburg	—	300	300		44 0	
		210,223	300	210,523		23,320 0	
In bottle ..... gallons	Great Britain	212,773	—	212,773		39,479 0	
	Victoria	5,801	—	5,801	gals.	1,258 12	
	New South Wales	416	—	416	194,320	84 0	4,858 0 0
	Hamburg	—	1,648	1,648		301 0	
		218,990	1,648	220,638		41,122 12	
Boats ..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—		55 0	
	China	—	—	—	—	16 0	—
		—	—	—		71 0	
Books, printed ..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—		17,668 10	
	Victoria	—	—	—		4,908 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—		37 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—	—	411 0	—
	United States	—	—	—		10 0	
		—	—	—		23,034 10	
Boots and Shoes .....value	Great Britain	—	—	—		67,196 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—		5,894 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	£	7 0	3,587 2 0
	Tasmania	—	—	—	71,742	33 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		188 0	
		—	—	—		73,318 0	
Bullion and Coin.....value	Great Britain	—	—	—		18,050 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	—	50,000 0	—
		—	—	—		68,050 0	
Butter ..... cwt.	Great Britain	731¼	—	731¼		4,396 0	
	Victoria	219¾	—	219¾	£ s.	1,630 10	
	New South Wales	69½	—	69½	6,641 10	442 0	332 1 6
	Tasmania	21	—	21		184 0	
		1,041½	—	1,041½		6,652 10	
Candles ..... lbs.	Great Britain	671,800	—	671,800		25,447 0	
	Victoria	34,009	—	34,009	£	1,212 0	
	Hamburg	—	9,999	9,999	21,351	389 0	1,067 11 0
		705,809	9,999	715,808		27,048 0	

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Carriages..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—	4,680 10	445 0	234 0 6
	Victoria	—	—	—		1,678 10	
	United States	—	—	—		2,557 0	
		—	—	—		4,680 10	
					£ s.		
Carts and Drays ..... value	Victoria	—	—	—	1,062 10	1,062 10	53 2 6
Casks, empty .....value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s.	144 0	44 6 7
	Victoria	—	—	—	886 12	718 2	
	New South Wales	—	—	—		8 0	
	Tasmania	—	—	—		16 10	
		—	—	—		886 12	
Cheese ..... cwt.	Great Britain	2,053	—	2,053	£	7,723 0	568 14 0
	Victoria	489	—	489	11,374	3,588 0	
	New South Wales	9	—	9		33 0	
	Hamburg	—	18	18		63 0	
		2,551	18	2,569		11,407 0	
Chicory ..... lbs.	Great Britain	109,612	—	109,612	lbs.	1,143 0	431 7 8
	Hamburg	—	1,000	1,000	103,532	14 0	
		109,612	1,000	110,612		1,157 0	
Clocks and Watches .. value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£	2,462 0	192 11 0
	Victoria	—	—	—	3,851	1,090 0	
	United States	—	—	—		299 0	
		—	—	—		3,851 0	
Coals, Coke, and other Fuel tons	Great Britain	2,928	—	2,928	—	3,381 0	—
	Victoria	174	—	174		294 0	
	New South Wales	79,631	—	79,631		101,989 0	
	New Zealand	95	—	95		132 0	
	Tasmania	2	—	2		2 10	
		82,830	—	82,830		105,798 10	
Cocoa and Chocolate.... lbs.	Great Britain	65,379	—	65,379	lbs.	3,098 0	276 9 7
	Victoria	2,050	—	2,050	66,355	149 0	
	Hamburg	—	2,605	2,605		125 0	
		67,429	2,605	70,034		3,372 0	
Coffee ..... lbs.	Great Britain	238,218	—	238,218	lbs.	8,655 0	1,604 4 6
	Victoria	137,540	—	137,540	385,014	5,605 0	
	Mauritius	56,017	—	56,017		1,539 0	
	Hamburg	—	452	452		46 0	
		431,775	452	432,227		15,845 0	
Confectionery .....value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£	6,844 0	371 16 0
	Victoria	—	—	—	7,436	891 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		18 0	
		—	—	—		7,753 0	
Cordage and Rope.....cwt.	Great Britain	1,060	—	1,060	£ s.	4,204 10	325 14 4
	Victoria	910	—	910	6,514 6	2,129 10	
	New South Wales	111	—	111		197 0	
	India	48	—	48		179 6	
		2,129	—	2,129		6,710 6	
Corn, viz., Grain ..... qrs.	Great Britain	1,597	—	1,597	—	4,317 0	—
	Victoria	4,711	—	4,711		9,204 5	
	New South Wales	1,389	—	1,389		3,020 0	
	Tasmania	2,665	—	2,665		5,073 0	
	India	27	—	27		64 10	
		10,389	—	10,389		21,678 15	

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Corn, Floura nd Meal .. tons	Great Britain	16¾	—	16¾	—	535 0	—
	Victoria	56¾	—	56¾		627 0	
	New South Wales	430	—	430		6,450 0	
		503½	—	503½		7,612 0	
Cutlery and Hardware value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s.	33,938 10	2,082 6 3
	Victoria	—	—	—	41,646 5	3,890 15	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		525 0	
	United States	—	—	—		3,357 0	
		—	—	—		41,711 5	
Drapery ..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s.	794,831 10	41,155 12 9
	Victoria	—	—	—	823,112 15	51,622 5	
	New South Wales	—	—	—		186 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—		55 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		406 0	
		—	—	—		847,100 15	
Drugs ..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s.	18,295 0	1,105 0 6
	Victoria	—	—	—	22,100 10	3,660 15	
	New South Wales	—	—	—		39 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		710 0	
	United States	—	—	—		236 0	
		—	—	—		22,940 15	
Earthenware and China, value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s.	13,033 10	698 2 6
	Victoria	—	—	—	13,962 10	895 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		40 0	
		—	—	—		13,968 10	
Fish, dry and pickled .. cwt.	Great Britain	2,254	—	2,254	£	3,784 0	245 5 0
	Victoria	431	—	431	4,905	757 0	
	New South Wales	104	—	104		115 0	
	Western Australia	20	—	20		23 0	
	British Columbia .	24	—	24		34 0	
	Hamburg	—	63	63		50 0	
	United States	—	12	12		20 0	
		2,833	75	2,908		4,783 0	
Fruit, dried ..... cwt.	Great Britain	10,853 1 5	—	10,853 1 5	cwt qr lb	14,594 0	5,123 18 9
	Victoria	178 2 6	—	178 2 6	10,297 3 17	635 0	
	New South Wales	19 2 20	—	19 2 20		45 0	
	Cape Colony	267 0 0	—	267 0 0		650 0	
	India	2 0 0	—	2 0 0		1 5	
	Hamburg	—	77 2 17	77 2 17		155 0	
		11,320 2 3	77 2 17	11,398 0 20		16,080 5	
Fresh..... value	Victoria	—	—	—	—	4,186 10	—
	New South Wales	—	—	—		287 0	
	Tasmania	—	—	—		393 10	
	Mauritius	—	—	—		25 0	
		—	—	—		4,892 0	
Furniture..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s.	10,760 10	816 8 3
	Victoria	—	—	—	16,328 5	3,919 15	
	New South Wales	—	—	—		51 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		471 0	
	United States	—	—	—		933 0	
		—	—	—		16,135 5	
Glass..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s.	11,803 0	708 8 6
	Victoria	—	—	—	14,168 10	1,468 10	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		2 0	
	United States	—	—	—		1,462 0	
		—	—	—		14,735 10	

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						£ s.	£ s. d.
Government Stores....value	Great Britain	—	—	—	—	30,050 0	—
	Victoria	—	—	—		3,392 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—		40 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—		750 0	
		—	—	—		34,232 0	
Groceries and Oilmen's Stores value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s. 59,923 17	54,450 15	2,996 3 10
	Victoria	—	—	—		5,205 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—		203 10	
	Tasmania	—	—	—		451 0	
	Mauritius	—	—	—		130 0	
	India	—	—	—		1 12	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		336 0	
	United States	—	—	—		887 0	
		—	—	—		61,664 17	
					£ s.		
Gunpowder..... lbs.	Great Britain	237,148	—	237,148	7,271 0	6,748 0	363 11 0
Hay and other Horse Feed tons	Great Britain	13	—	13	£ s. 100 10	146 0	5 0 6
	Victoria	—	—	—		6 0	
	New South Wales	22½	—	22½		200 0	
	Tasmania	22½	—	22½		178 15	
	India	7½	—	7½		41 15	
		65½	—	65½		572 10	
Hops ..... lbs.	Great Britain	228,728	—	228,728	lbs. 233,883	15,130 0	1,945 13 11
	Victoria	12,940	—	12,940		677 0	
	Tasmania	2,134	—	2,134		195 0	
		243,802	—	243,802		16,002 0	
Jewelry and Plate ....value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s. 12,056 0	10,271 10	602 16 0
	Victoria	—	—	—		2,048 10	
	New South Wales	—	—	—		100 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		1 0	
		—	—	—		12,421 0	
Implements and Tools..value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s. 22,540 10	20,976 10	1,127 0 6
	Victoria	—	—	—		1,564 0	
		—	—	—		22,540 10	
Iron, viz., bar and rod..tons	Great Britain	1,918	—	1,918	£ s. 21,917 15	20,061 0	1,095 17 9
	Victoria	156	—	156		1,856 15	
		2,074	—	2,074		21,917 15	
Sheet and hoop ... tons	Great Britain	1,115	—	1,115	£ s. 5,924 10	3,849 10	296 4 6
	Victoria	102	—	102		2,075 0	
		1,217	—	1,217		5,924 10	
Pig .....tons	Great Britain	150	—	150	£ 1,359	598 0	67 19 0
	Victoria	108	—	108		761 0	
		258	—	258		1,359 0	
Manufactures.....value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s. 185,582 15	174,027 5	9,279 2 9
	Victoria	—	—	—		21,502 16	
	New Zealand	—	—	—		6 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		23 0	
	United States	—	—	—		720 0	
		—	—	—		196,279 1	
Lead..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s. 2,212 10	1,840 0	110 12 6
	Victoria	—	—	—		382 10	
		—	—	—		2,222 10	

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					£	£ s.	£ s. d.
Leather..... cwt.	Great Britain	72	—	72		1,326 0	
	Victoria	17	—	17	1,493	177 0	74 13 0
	India	—	—	—		6 0	
		89	—	89		1,509 0	
Lucifers ..... gross	Great Britain	33,664	—	33,664	£ s.	5,478 10	
	Victoria	45	—	45	6,070 10	98 0	303 10 6
	Hamburg	—	838	838		338 0	
		33,709	838	34,547		5,914 10	
Machinery ..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s.	18,648 10	
	Victoria	—	—	—	24,452 10	5,289 0	1,222 12 6
	New Zealand	—	—	—		15 0	
		—	—	—		23,952 10	
Malt.....qrs.	Great Britain	10,253	—	10,253	£ s.	27,130 10	
	Victoria	1,556	—	1,556	32,177 10	4,812 0	1,608 17 6
	Hamburg	—	98	98		360 0	
		11,809	98	11,907		32,302 10	
Manures ..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—		26 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—		331 10	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—	50 0	—
	Tasmania	—	—	—		1,480 0	
		—	—	—		1,887 10	
Musical Instruments .. value	Great Britain	—	—	—		8,233 10	
	Victoria	—	—	—		902 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	£ s.	25 0	
	Tasmania	—	—	—	10,563 10	20 0	528 3 6
	New Zealand.....	—	—	—		2 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		1,257 0	
		—	—	—		10,439 10	
Oil, viz., sperm, &c., gallons	Great Britain	804	—	804		249 0	
	Victoria	74	—	74	£	29 0	
	New South Wales	1,327	—	1,327	1,570	307 0	78 10 0
	Western Australia	6,028	—	6,028		869 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		4 0	
		8,233	—	8,233		1,458 0	
Linseed, rape, hemp, &c. gallons	Great Britain	500	—	500	£	87 0	
	Victoria	300	—	300	161	74 0	8 1 0
		800	—	800		161 0	
Olive, castor, and other vegetable oils ..gallons	Great Britain	22,215	—	22,215	£ s.	5,552 10	
	Victoria	9,414	—	9,414	7,210 10	1,843 0	360 10 6
	Hamburg	—	260	260		52 0	
		31,629	260	31,889		7,447 10	
Mineral ..... gallons	Great Britain	7,307	—	7,307	£ s.	1,101 0	
	Victoria	53,058	—	53,058	19,126 4	8,953 4	956 6 2
	United States	107,760	—	107,760		9,072 0	
		168,125	—	168,125		19,126 4	
Ores, unsmelted.....tons	Great Britain ...	20	—	20		600 0	
	Victoria	32	—	32	—	323 0	—
		52	—	52		923 0	
Paints and Painters' Colors value	Great Britain	—	—	—		5,690 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	£ s.	256 10	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	6,466 10	333 0	323 6 6
	Hamburg	—	—	—		187 0	
		—	—	—		6,466 10	

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					£	£ s.	£ s. d.
Paper ..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—		12,718 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	15,333	2,210 0	766 13 0
	Hamburg	—	—	—		60 0	
		—	—	—		14,988 0	
					£ s.		
Perfumery ..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—		1,525 10	
	Victoria	—	—	—	1,515 10	145 0	75 15 6
	Hamburg	—	—	—		27 0	
		—	—	—		1,697 10	
					£ s.		
Pictures and Prints .. value	Great Britain	—	—	—		383 10	
	Victoria	—	—	—	499 10	90 0	24 19 6
	Hamburg	—	—	—		26 0	
		—	—	—		499 10	
					£ s.		
Pitch and Tar..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—		754 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—		77 7	
	New South Wales.	—	—	—	839 12	5 5	41 19 8
	Sweden	—	—	—		8 0	
		—	—	—		844 12	
Plants and Trees..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—		116 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	—	427 13	—
	New South Wales.	—	—	—		18 0	
		—	—	—		561 13	
Potatoes..... tons	Victoria	5,126	—	5,126		32,777 0	
	Western Australia	12	—	12		80 0	
	Tasmania	753	—	753	—	4,326 0	—
	New Zealand	126	—	126		700 0	
		6,017	—	6,017		37,883 0	
Rice ..... cwt.	Great Britain	560	—	560		564 0	
	Victoria	1,576	—	1,576	£ 3,082	1,789 0	154 2 0
	India	10	—	10		9 0	
		2,146	—	2,146		2,362 0	
Rosin..... cwt.	Great Britain	759	—	759		892 0	
	Victoria	53	—	53	£ 995	33 0	49 15 0
	United States	80	—	80		70 0	
		892	—	892		995 0	
Saddlery and harness .. value	Great Britain	—	—	—		27,850 10	
	Victoria	—	—	—		1,142 0	
	India	—	—	—	£ s. 29,154 6	182 16	1,457 14 4
	Hamburg	—	—	—		20 0	
		—	—	—		29,195 6	
Salt..... tons	Great Britain	1,098	—	1,098		1,018 0	
	Victoria	40	—	40	£ s. 1,153 6	135 6	57 13 4
		1,138	—	1,138		1,153 6	
Seeds and roots ..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—		1,004 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—		1,004 0	
	New South Wales.	—	—	—		66 0	
	Tasmania	—	—	—		232 0	
	Mauritius	—	—	—	—	7 0	—
	India	—	—	—		67 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		59 0	
	Sweden	—	—	—		5 0	
		—	—	—		2,444 0	
Skins and Hides..... value	Victoria	—	—	—		2,200 0	
	New South Wales.	—	—	—	—	437 0	—
	Western Australia	—	—	—		35 0	
		—	—	—		2,672 0	

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Soap .... cwt.	Great Britain	4,790	—	4,790		7,251 0	
	Victoria	3,989	—	3,989	£ s.	6,717 16	
	New South Wales.	439	—	439	15,121 16	789 0	756 1 9
	Mauritius	220	—	220		362 0	
	Hamburg	—	1½	1½		2 0	
		9,438	1½	9,439½		15,121 16	
Specimens ..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—		8 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—		21 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—	13 0	—
	Western Australia	—	—	—		7 0	
	Tasmania	—	—	—		1 0	
		—	—	—		50 0	
Spices.....cwt.	Great Britain	409	—	409		1,569 0	
	Victoria	34	—	34	£	367 0	
	New South Wales.	5	—	5	1,969	7 0	98 9 0
	Hamburg	—	4	4		26 0	
		448	4	452		1,969 0	
Spirits, viz., Brandy, gallons	Great Britain	34,597	—	34,597		14,429 0	
	Victoria	6,007	—	6,007	galls.	2,543 0	
	New South Wales.	1,709	—	1,709	51,926$\frac{24}{32}$	524 0	25,963 14 11
	Hamburg	—	8	8		5 0	
		42,313	8	42,321		17,501 0	
Rum ..... gallons	Great Britain	35,137	—	35,137		5,495 0	
	Victoria	7,948	—	7,948	galls.	1,209 0	
	New South Wales.	1,702	—	1,702	39,976$\frac{15}{32}$	300 0	19,988 5 1
	New Zealand	169	—	169		42 0	
		44,956	—	44,956		7,046 0	
Gin ..... gallons	Great Britain	31,076	—	31,076		8,668 0	
	Victoria	2,291	—	2,291	galls.	779 10	
	Hamburg	—	42	42	27,150$\frac{23}{32}$	18 0	13,575 13 10
		33,367	42	33,409		9,465 10	
Whisky ..... gallons	Great Britain	5,769	—	5,769	galls.	1,084 0	
	Victoria	2,192	—	2,192	10,690$\frac{19}{32}$	549 15	5,345 6 5
		7,961	—	7,961		1,633 15	
Geneva ..... gallons	Great Britain	4,905	—	4,905		900 0	
	Victoria	4,022	—	4,022	galls.	1,105 0	
	New South Wales.	9	—	9	5,330$\frac{9}{32}$	4 0	2,665 4 5
	Hamburg	—	17	17		5 0	
		8,936	17	8,953		2,014 0	
Liqueurs..... gallons	Great Britain	2,361	—	2,361		1,377 0	
	Victoria	253	—	253	galls.	276 0	
	New Zealand	31	—	31	2,349$\frac{8}{32}$	26 0	1,175 0 2
	Hamburg	—	434	434		245 0	
	United States	100	—	100		75 0	
		2,745	434	3,179		1,999 0	
Of Wine..... gallons	Great Britain	2,494	—	2,494	galls.	373 0	
	Victoria	850	—	850	2,649$\frac{17}{32}$	216 0	1,324 15 4
		3,344	—	3,344		589 0	
Perfumed ..... gallons	Great Britain	580	—	580	gals.	703 0	
	Victoria	32	—	32	692$\frac{30}{32}$	77 0	346 9 10
	Hamburg	—	57	57		49 0	
		612	57	669		829 0	
Unenumerated .. gallons	Great Britain	2,605	—	2,605		1,765 0	
	Victoria	539	—	539		505 0	
	New Zealand	3	—	3	3,840$\frac{17}{32}$	2 0	1,920 6 5
	Mauritius	$\frac{24}{32}$	—	$\frac{24}{32}$		2 0	
	Hamburg	—	93	93		13 0	
		3,147$\frac{24}{32}$	93	3,240$\frac{24}{32}$		2,287 0	

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Articles.	Countries whence imported.	Quantities imported. In British vessels.	Quantities imported. In Foreign vessels.	Quantities imported. Totals.	Entered for Home Consumption.	Value in sterling of total Imports.	Amount of Duty received.
						£ s.	£ s. d.
Spirits delivered duty free for fortifying wine the produce of South Australia.	—	—	—	—	galls. 3,290 24/32	—	—
Stationery ..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s. 24,580 15	16,485 10	1,229 0 9
	Victoria	—	—	—		8,012 5	
	New South Wales	—	—	—		81 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		189 0	
		—	—	—		24,767 15	
Steel..... ..value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ 2,464	2,418 0	123 4 0
	Victoria	—	—	—		46 0	
		—	—	—		2,464 0	
Stones, viz., Millstones .. No.	Great Britain	44	—	44	£ 529	529 0	26 9 0
Grindstones..... No.	Great Britain	589	—	589	£ 112	105 0	5 12 0
	Hamburg	—	24	24		7 0	
		589	24	613		112 0	
Slates ..... No.	Great Britain	353,488	—	353,488	£ 5,041	5,041 0	252 1 0
Slabs, Flags, &c. .. value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s. 808 10	474 10	40 8 6
	Victoria	—	—	—		320 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		14 0	
		—	—	—		808 10	
Sugar ....cwt.	Great Britain ...	9,047 3 7	—	9,047 3 7	cwt. qr. lb. 91,090 3 14	12,584 0	13,645 0 9
	Victoria	9,974 3 25	—	9,974 3 25		13,389 9	
	Mauritius	69,079 2 12	3,586 2 0	72,666 0 12		114,501 0	
	Hamburg	—	7 2 0	7 2 0		19 0	
		88,102 1 16	3,594 0 0	91,696 1 16		140,493 9	
Molasses and Treacle cwt.	Great Britain	56 3 16	—	56 3 16	cwt. qr. lb. 2,395 2 8	59 0	239 11 2
	Victoria	2,338 2 20	—	2,338 2 20		1,983 0	
		2,395 2 8	—	2,395 2 8		2,042 0	
Tallow ..... cwt.	Great Britain	158	—	158	—	202 0	—
	Victoria	774	—	774		1,794 0	
	New South Wales	4,126	—	4,126		8,030 0	
	Western Australia	6	—	6		2 0	
	Sweden	—	2	2		2 0	
	United States	3	—	3		3 0	
		5,067	2	5,069		10,033 0	
Tea ..... lbs.	Great Britain	113,892	—	113,892	lbs. 857,578	8,014 0	10,653 9 3
	Victoria	93,585	—	93,585		5,697 7	
	New South Wales	245,755	—	245,755		21,830 0	
	China	—	379,841	379,841		26,547 0	
		453,232	379,841	833,073		62,088 7	
Tinware ..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ 3,262	2,904 0	163 2 0
	Victoria	—	—	—		305 0	
		—	—	—		3,209 0	
Tobacco, manufactured ..lbs.	Great Britain	73,768	—	73,768	lbs. 258,019 15/16	6,252 0	19,351 10 2
	Victoria	240,168	—	240,168		18,524 10	
	New South Wales	2,290	—	2,290		194 0	
	Western Australia	327	—	327		20 0	
	New Zealand	705	—	705		71 0	
	Hamburg	—	139	139		13 0	
	United States	5,860	—	5,860		260 0	
		323,118	139	323,257		25,334 10	
Sheepwash ..... lbs.	—	—	—	—	lbs. 20,333	—	254 3 3

IMPORTS, 1866—*(Continued).*

Articles.	Countries whence imported.	Quantites imported. In British Vessels.	In Foreign vessels.	Total.	Entered for Home Consumption.	Value in sterling of total Imports. £ s.	Amount of Duty received. £ s. d.
Tobacco, Cigars ..... lbs.	Great Britain	7,885	—	7,885	lbs. $15,996\frac{3}{16}$	2,048 0	3,199 4 10
	Victoria	6,285	—	6,285		1,992 0	
	New South Wales	3,978	—	3,978		1,152 0	
	Hamburg	—	1,802	1,802		307 0	
		18,148	1,802	19,950		5,499 0	
Snuff..... lbs.	Great Britain	1,145	—	1,145	lbs. $2,568\frac{8}{16}$	266 0	513 14 0
	Victoria	7	—	7		1 0	
	Hamburg	—	300	300		38 0	
		1,152	300	1,452		305 0	
Vinegar..... gallons	Great Britain	42,716	—	42,716	£ 2,757	2,888 0	137 17 0
	Victoria	518	—	518		51 0	
	Hamburg	—	2,615	2,615		129 0	
		43,234	2,615	45,849		3,068 0	
Wine in wood ..... gallons	Great Britain	35,295	—	35,295	gals. 36,184	14,164 0	3,618 8 0
	Victoria	12,462	—	12,462		4,544 0	
		47,757	—	47,757		18,708 0	
In bottle .....gallons	Great Britain	5,679	—	5,679	gals. $7,989\frac{1}{12}$	4,214 0	1,198 7 3
	Victoria	2,099	—	2,099		1,448 10	
	New South Wales	20	—	20		17 0	
	Hamburg	—	264	264		172 0	
		7,798	264	8,062		5,851 10	
Wood, viz., Posts and Rails No.	Great Britain	50	—	50	No. 2,913	6 0	2 3 10
	Victoria	1,433	—	1,433		54 0	
	Tasmania	1,300	—	1,300		32 0	
	Western Australia	130	—	130		4 0	
		2,913	—	2,913		96 0	
Palings..... No.	Victoria	146,537	—	146,537	No. 720,610	1,286 10	180 3 1
	Tasmania	574,073	—	574,073		3,372 10	
		720,610	—	720,610		4,659 0	
Shooks and Staves.. value	Great Britain	—	—	—	—	72 0	—
	Tasmania	—	—	—		29 0	
	United States	—	—	—		98 0	
		—	—	—		199 0	
Shingles and Laths.. No.	Victoria	84,300	—	84,300	No. 1,439,100	83 0	35 19 11
	Tasmania	1,354,800	—	1,354,800		611 0	
		1,439,100	—	1,439,100		694 0	
Trenails and Spokes.. No.	Victoria	1,050	—	1,050	No. 76,136	23 10	6 6 11
	New South Wales	66,222	—	66,222		577 0	
	Tasmania	700	—	700		10 0	
	United States	8,164	—	8,164		144 0	
		76,136	—	76,136		754 10	
Oars ..... feet	Victoria	75	—	75	feet 5,425	3 10	5 8 6
	United States	5,350	—	5,350		90 0	
		5,425	—	5,425		93 10	
Sawn, &c. ..... loads	Great Britain	$1,723\frac{10}{40}$	—	$1,723\frac{10}{40}$	loads $17,536\frac{33}{40}$	3,961 0	2,192 2 3
	Victoria	$1,358\frac{17}{40}$	—	$1,358\frac{17}{40}$		6,995 9	
	New South Wales	$116\frac{20}{40}$	—	$116\frac{20}{40}$		453 0	
	Tasmania	$2,926\frac{13}{40}$	—	$2,926\frac{13}{40}$		7,089 0	
	Western Australia	$603\frac{20}{40}$	—	$603\frac{20}{40}$		2,517 0	
	New Zealand	$836\frac{10}{40}$	—	$836\frac{10}{40}$		1,440 0	
	Queensland	$212\frac{10}{40}$	—	$212\frac{10}{40}$		910 0	
	British Columbia .	500	—	500		1,000 0	
	Sweden	—	$4,811\frac{20}{40}$	$4,811\frac{20}{40}$		8,485 0	
	Hamburg	—	14	14		51 0	
	United States	$3,734\frac{33}{40}$	700	$4,434\frac{33}{40}$		10,357 0	
		$12,011\frac{13}{40}$	$5,525\frac{20}{40}$	$17,536\frac{33}{40}$		43,258 9	

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Articles.	Countries whence imported.	Quantities imported. In British vessels.	Quantities imported. In Foreign vessels.	Quantities imported. Totals.	Entered for Home Consumption.	Value in sterling of total Imports.	Amount of Duty received.
						£ s.	£. s. d.
Wood—Cedar ..... loads	Victoria	$32\frac{21}{40}$	—	$32\frac{21}{40}$	$1,291\frac{17}{40}$ loads	342 10	322 15 11
	New South Wales.	$816\frac{10}{40}$	—	$816\frac{10}{40}$		4,398 0	
	Queensland	$442\frac{26}{40}$	—	$442\frac{26}{40}$		3,825 0	
		$1,291\frac{17}{40}$	—	$1,291\frac{17}{40}$		8,565 10	
Wool ..... lbs.	New South Wales.	1,954,425	—	1,954,425	—	138,405 0	
	Tasmania	500	—	500		25 0	
	Western Australia	18,328	—	18,328		861 0	
		1,973,253	—	1,973,253		139,291 0	
Works of Art ..... value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ 1,080	956 0	54 0 0
	Victoria	—	—	—		148 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		10 0	
		—	—	—		1,114 0	
Zinc ....va'ue	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s. 1,352 10	1,330 0	67 12 6
	Victoria	—	—	—		22 10	
		—	—	—		1,352 10	
Unenumerated Articles, raw value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ 3,380	1,136 0	169 0 0
	Victoria	—	—	—		2,006 0	
	New South Wales.	—	—	—		32 0	
	Tasmania	—	—	—		3 0	
	Queensland	—	—	—		31 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—		7 0	
	Mauritius.....	—	—	—		5 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		150 0	
	United States	—	—	—		10 0	
		—	—	—		3,380 0	
Manufactured .... value	Great Britain	—	—	—	£ s. 119,551 11	86,199 15	5,977 11 7
	Victoria	—	—	—		24,553 4	
	New South Wales.	—	—	—		368 0	
	Tasmania	—	—	—		192 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—		937 0	
	Mauritius	—	—	—		234 0	
	India	—	—	—		251 12	
	China	—	—	—		13 0	
	Hamburg	—	—	—		2,263 0	
	United States	—	—	—		7,130 0	
		—	—	—		122,141 11	
	Grand Total ..	—	—	—		2,527,111 15	234,519 1 6

DECENNIAL RETURN of the TOTAL VALUES of IMPORTS into the PROVINCE, distinguishing the Countries from whence imported; also, VALUE of IMPORTS retained for HOME CONSUMPTION.

Years.	From Great Britain.	From British Colonies. New South Wales.	Victoria.	Tasmania.	Western Australia.	East Indies and China.	Mauritius.	Other British Possessions.	From Foreign States.	Total Imports.	Of which Imports, value retained for Home Consumption.
	£ s. d.	£ s.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s.	£ s. d.	£ s.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1857	1,016,813 15 0	89,712 10	288,098 10 0	29,936 5 0	8,527 0	86,017 15	36,278 0	7,714 0 0	59,954 10	1,623,052 5 0	1,408,664 5 0
1858	1,264,735 16 0	92,076 0	237,680 11 0	24,131 0 0	8,118 0	14,756 10	63,828 0	—	59,026 1	1,769,351 18 0	1,612,207 18 0
1859	841,922 0 0	114,006 10	331,961 5 0	23,590 5 0	3,981 10	26,499 0	93,872 15	11,508 10 0	60,153 0	1,507,494 15 0	1,353,783 15 0
1860	939,345 5 0	162,057 5	339,660 15 0	20,221 5 0	4,427 0	19,836 0	92,906 0	6,110 0 0	55,028 5	1,639,591 15 0	1,432,201 15 0
1861	1,104,252 0 0	206,819 0	366,008 0 0	20,599 0 0	4,249 0	9,105 0	140,447 0	6,058 0 0	118,481 0	1,976,018 0 0	1,782,346 0 0
1862	1,178,963 0 0	129,798 0	198,274 0 0	23,631	5,608 0	25,757 0	124,974 0	13,506 0 0	120,145 0	1,820,656 0 0	1,595,347 0 0
1863	1,177,706 8 0	146,583 5	441,927 0 0	19,234 5 0	7,242 10	20,488 0	116,566 0	16,012 0 0	82,520 5	2,028,279 13 0	1,764,818 13 0
1864	1,217,563 5 0	212,517 17	697,075 14 6	21,877 15 0	2,472 10	1,362 0	131,733 18	7,214 15 0	121,108 7	2,412,931 1 6	2,122,923 1 6
1865	1,741,690 16 0	239,820 10	620,301 12 6	36,438 17 6	11,961 0	7,974 10	99,712 5	18,125 10 0	151,571 5	2,927,596 1 0	2,552,407 0 0
1866	1,880,273 5 0	295,070 15	402,692 17 0	26,469 15 0	5,031 0	9,949 16	116,973 0	15,222 0 0	83,460 0	2,835,142 8 0	2,516,128 5 0

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EXPORTS.

GENERAL EXPORTS from the COLONY of SOUTH AUSTRALIA in the Year 1866.

Articles.	Countries to which exported.	Quantities.					Value in Sterling.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.			British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Totals.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Totals.
		In British vessels.	In Foreign vessels.	Totals.					
							£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
Animals, living—Horses—number	Victoria	11	—	11	18		2,750 0	360 0	
	Western Australia	4	—	4	—		150 0	—	
	India	357	—	357	—		6,610 0	—	
	Mauritius	—	8	8	—		160 0	—	
	Batavia	—	5	5	—		125 0	—	
		372	13	385	18	403	9,795 0	360 0	10,155 0
Cattle—number	India	2	—	2	—	2	15 0	—	15 0
Sheep—number	Victoria	200	—	200	—		1,000 0	—	
	Western Australia	4,225	—	4,225	—		1,660 0	—	
	New Zealand	2	—	2	—		40 0	—	
		4,427	—	4,427	—	4,427	2,700 0	—	2,700 0
Dogs—number	India	17	—	17	—	17	30 0	—	30 0
Apparel and Slops value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	238 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		—	78 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	316 0	316 0
Bacon and Hams cwt.	Victoria	—	—	—	9		—	85 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	3½		—	16 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	1¾		—	11 0	
		—	—	—	14¼	14¼	—	112 0	112 0
Bags and Sacks—Cornsacks—bales	Victoria	—	—	—	309	309	—	6,378 0	6,378 0
Wool-packs, bales	Victoria	—	—	—	4		—	100 0	
	New South Wales.	—	—	—	118		—	2,356 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	3		—	30 0	
		—	—	—	125	125	—	2,486 0	2,486 0
Ore-bags—bales	New South Wales.	—	—	—	11	11	—	185 0	185 0
Bark—tons	Great Britain	3,372	—	3,372	—		16,223 0	—	
	Victoria	323	—	323	—		2,252 0	—	
	New South Wales.	50	—	50	—		250 0	—	
	Western Australia	10	—	10	—		65 0	—	
	New Zealand	86	—	86	—		319 0	—	
		3,841	—	3,841	—	3,841	19,109 0	—	19,109 0
Beef and Pork, cwt.	Victoria	—	—	—	80		—	90 0	
	New South Wales.	—	—	—	4		—	6 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	48		—	120 0	
	India	—	—	—	16		—	33 0	
		—	—	—	148	148	—	249 0	249 0
Beer—gallons	Victoria	—	—	—	92		—	22 0	
	New South Wales	4,848	—	4,848	11,594		513 0	2,257 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	4,349		—	578 0	
		4,848	—	4,848	16,035	20,883	513 0	2,857 0	3,370 0
Bones and Hoofs cwt.	Great Britain	1,445	—	1,445	—	1,445	352 10	—	352 10
Books, printed value	Great Britain	—	—	—	—		—	80 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	5 10	
	New South Wales.	—	—	—	—		—	150 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		—	25 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	260 10	260 10
Boots and Shoes value	Great Britain	—	—	—	—		—	1,569 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	2,267 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—		—	3,579 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		—	466 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	7,881 0	7,881 0
Bullion and Coin value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	85,000 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—		—	1,900 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		—	30 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	86,930 0	86,930 0

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Articles.	Countries to which exported.	Quantities.					Value in Sterling.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.			British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Totals.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony*.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Totals.
		In British vessels.	In Foreign vessels.	Totals.					
							£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
Butter ..... cwt.	Victoria	20	—	20	64		111 0	443 0	
	Western Australia	15	—	15	10		118 0	72 0	
		35	—	35	74	109	229 0	515 0	744 0
Candles ..... lbs.	Victoria	—	—	—	101,750		—	4,015 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	5,475		—	229 0	
		—	—	—	107,225	107,225	—	4,244 0	4,244 0
Cheese ..... cwt.	Western Australia	—	—	—	4	4	—	20 0	20 0
Clocks and Watches value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	143 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—		—	43 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	186 0	186 0
Coals ..... tons	China	—	—	—	890	890	—	1,250 0	1,250 0
Cocoa ..... lbs.	Victoria	—	—	—	2,128	2,128	—	101 0	101 0
Coffee ..... lbs.	Victoria	—	—	—	18,735		—	703 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	7,737		—	499 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	1,767		—	82 0	
		—	—	—	28,239	28,239	—	1,284 0	1,284 0
Confectionery value	Great Britain	—	—	—	—		—	20 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		—	146 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	166 0	166 0
Cordage and Rope cwt.	New South Wales	—	—	—	2		—	7 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	22		—	68 0	
		—	—	—	24	24	—	75 0	75 0
Corks ..... value	Victoria	—	—	—	—	—	—	230 0	230 0
Corn—Flour .. tons	Victoria	8,476½	—	8,476½	226½		143,524 0	3,171 0	
	New South Wales	11,384½	663	12,047½	—		195,191 0	—	
	Western Australia	776	65	841	—		11,398 0	—	
	New Zealand	2,353½	—	2,353½	—		38,248 0	—	
	Tasmania	10	—	10	—		210 0	—	
	Queensland	5,676½	250	5,926½	—		99,735 0	—	
	Mauritius	425	46	471	—		5,870 0	—	
	Singapore	20	—	20	—		350 0	—	
	Cape	—	220½	220½	—		2,428 0	—	
	Batavia	—	130	130	—		1,970 0	—	
		29,122	1,374½	30,496½	226½	30,723	498,924 0	3,171 0	502,095 0
Corn—Bran and Pollard .... tons	Victoria	1,145	—	1,145	—		8,169 0	—	
	New South Wales	238	—	238	—		1,599 0	—	
	Western Australia	215	—	215	—		1,630 0	—	
	New Zealand	47	—	47	—		340 0	—	
	Queensland	579	28	607	—		4,545 0	—	
	Mauritius	192	100	292	—		2,120 0	—	
	Cape	—	16	16	—		114 0	—	
		2,416	144	2,560	—	2,560	18,517 0	—	18,517 0
Corn—Wheat, qrs.	Victoria	22,883	—	22,883	—		61,695 0	—	
	New South Wales	13,499	691	14,190	—		40,071 0	—	
	Western Australia	186	—	186	—		485 0	—	
	New Zealand.....	9,269	—	9,269	—		23,785 0	—	
	Qu ensland	212	—	212	—		540 0	—	
	Mauritius	—	16	16	—		25 0	—	
		46,049	707	46,756	—	46,756	126,601 0	—	126,601 0
Barley .... qrs.	New South Wales.	28	—	28	—		57 0	—	
	Western Australia	93	—	93	—		233 0	—	
		121	—	121	—	121	290 0	—	290 0
Oats ..... qrs.	Victoria	119	—	119	—		323 0	—	
	New South Wales	196	—	196	89		585 0	334 0	
	Western Australia	36	—	36	—		76 0	—	
	Mauritius	—	53	53	—		85 0	—	
		351	53	404	89	493	1,069 0	334 0	1,403 0

EXPORTS *(Continued)*.

Articles.	Countries to which exported.	Quantities.					Value in Sterling.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.			British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Totals.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Totals.
		In British vessels.	In Foreign vessels.	Totals.					
							£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
Drapery .... value	Great Britain	—	—	—	—		—	1,403 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	5,557 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—		—	12,001 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		—	15,401 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	—		—	50 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	34,412 0	34,412 0
Drays..... value	Victoria	—	—	—	—	—	30 0	—	30 0
Drugs ..... value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	1,262 0	
	New South Wales.	—	—	—	—		—	6 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		—	95 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	1,363 0	1,363 0
Earthenware .. value	New South Wales	—	—	—	—	—	—	118 0	118 0
Eggs ..... value	Victoria	—	—	—	—	—	4,733 0	—	4,733 0
Fish, dried .. cwt.	Victoria	1,855	—	1,855	89		1,867 0	89 0	
	New South Wales	15	—	15	—		40 0	—	
	Queensland	10	—	10	—		10 0	—	
		1,880	—	1,880	89	1,969	1,917 0	89 0	2,006 0
Fruit, fresh.. value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		3,813 0	—	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—		168 0	—	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		42 0	—	
		—	—	—	—	—	4,023 0	—	4,023 0
Fruit, dried.. cwt.	Victoria	98	—	98	796		154 0	1,180 0	
	New South Wales	$12\frac{3}{4}$	—	$12\frac{3}{4}$	$255\frac{1}{4}$		41 0	655 10	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	$46\frac{1}{2}$		—	85 0	
	Queensland	—	—	—	$47\frac{1}{4}$		—	87 0	
		$110\frac{3}{4}$	—	$110\frac{3}{4}$	1,145	$1,255\frac{3}{4}$	195 0	2,007 10	2,202 10
Furniture....value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	208 0	
	New South Wales.	—	—	—	—		—	277 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		—	154 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	639 0	639 0
Glass.. ..... value	Victoria	—	—	—	—	—	—	291 0	291 0
Glue ..... cwt.	Great Britain	202	—	202	—	202	295 0	—	295 0
Groceries and Oilmen's Stores value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	2,069 0	
	New South Wales.	—	—	—	—		—	8,909 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		—	1,322 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	12,300 0	12,300 0
Gum ..... cwt.	Great Britain	1,035	—	1,035	—		1,314 0	—	
	Victoria	62	—	62	—		77 0	—	
		1,097	—	1,097	—	1,097	1,391 0	—	1,391 0
Gunpowder.... lbs.	Western Australia	—	—	—	2,240	2,240	—	53 0	53 0
Hardware	Great Britain	—	—	—	—		—	20 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	284 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—		—	2,040 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		—	781 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	—		—	30 0	
	Cape	—	—	—	—		—	68 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	3,223 0	3,223 0
Hay ..... tons	New South Wales	254	—	254	—		1,814 0	—	
	Western Australia	32	—	32	—		250 0	—	
	New Zealand	32	—	32	—		285 0	—	
	Queensland	92	—	92	—		772 0	—	
		410	—	410	—	410	3,121 0	—	3,121 0
Honey..... cwt.	Western Australia	1	—	1	—	1	5 0	—	5 0

EXPORTS *(Continued)*.

Articles.	Countries to which exported.	Quantities.					Value in Sterling.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.			British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Totals.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Totals.
		In British vessels.	In Foreign vessels.	Totals.					
							£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
Hops ..... lbs.	Victoria	—	—	—	18,291		—	1,285 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	1,306		—	87 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	682		—	61 0	
		—	—	—	20,279	20,279	—	1,433 0	1,433 0
Horns.....number	Great Britain	17,350	—	17,350	—	17,350	105 0	—	105 0
Implements..value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		310 0	1 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—		180 0	—	
		—	—	—	—	—	490 0	1 0	491 0
Iron manufactures value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	379 18	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—		—	4,413 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		—	308 0	
	India	—	—	—	—		—	212 0	
	Queensland	—	—	—	—		—	131 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	5,443 18	5,443 18
Jams.....value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		555 0	—	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—		1,161 0	—	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		180 0	—	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	—		431 0	—	
	Queensland	—	—	—	—		1,060 0	—	
	India	—	—	—	—		340 0	—	
	Mauritius	—	—	—	—		80 0	—	
	Batavia	—	—	—	—		35 0	—	
	China	—	—	—	—		250 0	—	
		—	—	—	—	—	4,092 0	—	4,092 0
Jewelry and Plate value	Great Britain	—	—	—	—	—	—	200 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	—	—	300 0	—	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	—	—	—	50 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	300 0	250 0	550 0
Leather..... cwt.	Great Britain	3,154	—	3,154	—		11,518 0	—	
	Victoria	490	—	490	—		2,180 0	—	
	New South Wales	28	—	28	—		266 0	—	
	Western Australia	11	—	11	—		113 0	—	
	Mauritius	97	—	97	—		358 0	—	
		3,780	—	3,780	—	3,780	14,435 0	—	14,435 0
Lucifers..... value	Victoria	—	—	—	—	—	—	200 0	200 0
Machinery .. value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	2,264 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—		—	214 0	
	Queensland	—	—	—	—		—	68 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	2,646 0	2,646 0
Maize ..... qrs.	Queensland . ..	—	—	—	148	148	—	355 0	355 0
Malt.....qrs.	Victoria	—	—	—	419		—	1,114 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	4		—	10 0	
		—	—	—	423	423	—	1,124 0	1,124 0
Metals—Copper cwt.	Great Britain	49,701	—	49,701	—		222,769 0	—	
	Victoria	41,839	—	41,839	—		187,804 0	—	
	New South Wales	4,000	—	4,000	—		18,000 0	—	
	India	29,870	—	29,870	—		136,776 0	—	
	Singapore	200	—	200	—		840 0	—	
	United States	3,662	—	3,662	—		18,320 0	—	
		129,272	—	129,272	—	129,272	584,509 0	—	584,509 0
Lead.....cwt.	Great Britain	140	—	140	—		350 0	—	
	Victoria	63	—	63	—		81 0	—	
		203	—	203	—	203	431 0	—	431 0
Silver lead, cwt.	Great Britain	888	—	888	—		2,040 0	—	
	Victoria	260	—	260	—		520 0	—	
		1,148	—	1,148	—	1,148	2,560 0	—	2,560 0

EXPORTS *(Continued)*.

Articles.	Countries to which exported.	Quantities.					Value in Sterling.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.			British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Totals.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Totals.
		In British vessels.	In Foreign vessels.	Totals.					
							£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
Musical Instruments value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	14 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	—		—	130 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	144 0	144 0
Oil, vegetable gallons	Victoria	—	—	—	790	790	—	164 0	164 0
Oil, mineral gallons	Victoria	—	—	—	57,974		—	4,065 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	1,291		—	193 0	
		—	—	—	59,265	59,265	—	4,258 0	4,258 0
Onions ..... cwt.	Victoria	130	—	130	—		89 0	—	
	New South Wales	29	—	29	—		29 0	—	
		159	—	159	—	159	118 0	—	118 0
Ores—Copper.. tons	Great Britain	7,775	—	7,775	—		120,783 0	—	
	Victoria	6,479	—	6,479	—		80,236 0	—	
	New South Wales	2,370	—	2,370	—		22,664 0	—	
	China	200	—	200	—		2,000 0	—	
		16,824	—	16,824	—	16,824	225,683 0	—	225,683 0
Lead .....tons	Great Britain	67	—	67	—		700 0	—	
	Victoria	15	—	15	—		300 0	—	
		82	—	82	—	82	1,000 0	—	1,000 0
Silver lead, tons	Great Britain	523	—	523	—		9,498 0	—	
	Victoria	43	—	43	—		820 0	—	
		566	—	566	—	566	10,318 0	—	10,318 0
Plumbago .. tons	Victoria	10	—	10	—	10	150 0	—	150 0
Paper..... value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	266 0	266 0
Plants and Trees value	New South Wales	—	—	—	—	—	3 0	—	3 0
Potatoes..... tons	New South Wales	58	—	58	—		450 0	—	
	Western Australia	7	—	7	2		49 0	14 0	
	Mauritius	3	—	3	—		24 0	—	
		68	—	68	2	70	523 0	14 0	537 0
Quartz ..... cwt.	Victoria	730	—	730	—		270 0	—	
	New South Wales	8	—	8	—		10 0	—	
		738	—	738	—	738	280 0	—	280 0
Rags ..... cwt.	Great Britain	417	—	417	—		338 0	—	
	Victoria	9	—	9	—		4 0	—	
		426	—	426	—	426	342 0	—	342 0
Rice ..... cwt.	New South Wales	—	—	—	145		—	189 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	160		—	205 0	
		—	—	—	305	305	—	394 0	394 0
Rosin ..... cwt.	Victoria	—	—	—	25	25	—	50 0	50 0
Saddlery .... value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	15 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—		—	1,906 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		—	215 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	2,136 0	2,136 0
Salt.....tons	Victoria	—	—	—	10		—	30 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	52⅓		—	253 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	1		—	4 0	
		—	—	—	63½	63½	—	287 0	287 0
Skins and Hides value	Great Britain	—	—	—	—		3,527 0	—	
	Victoria	—	—	—	—		1,112 15	—	
		—	—	—	—	—	4,639 15	—	4,639 15

EXPORTS *(Continued)*.

Articles.	Countries to which exported.	Quantities.					Value in Sterling.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.			British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Totals.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony*.	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Totals.
		In British vessels.	In Foreign vessels.	Totals.					
							£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
Slates ..... number	Victoria	—	—	—	30,000	30,000	—	292 0	292 0
Slate flagging .. feet	Victoria	500	—	500	—	500	12 0	—	12 0
Soap ..... cwt.	New South Wales	—	—	—	241		—	362 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	65		—	104 0	
		—	—	—	306	306	—	466 0	466 0
Specimens .. value	Great Britain	—	—	—	—		775 0	—	
	Victoria	—	—	—	—		195 0	—	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—		71 0	—	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		5 0	—	
		—	—	—	—	—	1,046 0	—	1,046 0
Spices.....cwt.	Victoria	—	—	—	26		—	90 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	9		—	30 0	
		—	—	—	35	35	—	120 0	120 0
Spirits—Brandy gallons	Great Britain ...	—	—	—	1,536		—	750 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	1,837		—	658 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	2,948		—	1,591 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	1,197		—	507 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	702		—	452 0	
		—	—	—	8,220	8,220	—	3,958 0	3,958 0
Rum .. gallons	Victoria	—	—	—	13		—	3 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	1,110		—	277 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	1,389		—	260 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	910		—	178 0	
		—	—	—	3,422	3,422	—	718 0	718 0
Gin .... gallons	Great Britain	—	—	—	20		—	7 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	385		—	49 15	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	490		—	194 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	606		—	176 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	182		—	48 0	
		—	—	—	1,683	1,683	—	474 15	474 15
Whisky, gallons	Great Britain	—	—	—	432		—	192 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	2,087		—	794 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	816		—	293 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	143		—	36 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	346		—	118 0	
		—	—	—	3,824	3,824	—	1,433 0	1,433 0
Geneva, gallons	New South Wales	—	—	—	720		—	252 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	228		—	74 0	
		—	—	—	948	948	—	326 0	326 0
Liqueurs gallons	Victoria	—	—	—	15		—	10 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	86		—	60 0	
		—	—	—	101	101	—	70 0	70 0
Perfumed gallons	Victoria	—	—	—	145	145	—	208 0	208 0
Of Wine, gallons	New South Weles	—	—	—	10	10	—	3 0	3 0
Stationery .. value	Victoria	—	—	—	—		—	12 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—		—	316 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		—	140 0	
		—	—	—	—	—	—	468 0	468 0
Sugar .....cwt.	Victoria	—	—	—	2,096		—	3,888 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	4,443		—	6,454 10	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	1,016		—	1,630 0	
	New Zealand ...	—	—	—	41		—	75 0	
		—	—	—	7,596	7,596	—	12,047 10	12,047 10

EXPORTS *(Continued)*.

Articles.	Countries to which exported.	Quantities.					Value in Sterling.		
		Produce and Manufactures of the Colony.			British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Totals.	Produce and Manufactures *of the Colony.*	British, Foreign, and *other Colonial* Produce and Manufactures.	Totals.
		In British vessels.	In Foreign vessels.	Totals.					
							£ s.	£ s.	£ s.
Sugar—Molasses and Treacle cwt.	New South Wales	—	—	—	6		—	5 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	20		—	31 0	
		—	—	—	26	26	—	36 0	36 0
Tallow ..... cwt.	Victoria	39	—	39	45	84	60 0	105 0	165 0
Tea ..... lbs.	Great Britain	—	—	—	1,800		—	135 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	21,558		—	1,756 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	56,995		—	5,305 10	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	22,403		—	1,515 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	592		—	50 0	
	Queensland	—	—	—	215		—	15 0	
		—	—	—	103,563	103,563	—	8,776 10	8,776 10
Timber..... loads	Victoria	—	—	—	312		—	1,101 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	56		—	516 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	10		—	50 0	
		—	—	—	378	378	—	1,667 0	1,667 0
Palings..number	New South Wales	—	—	—	7,100	7,100	—	84 0	84 0
Tinplates .... value	Victoria	—	—	—	—	—	—	60 0	60 0
Tobacco ..... lbs.	Victoria	—	—	—	43,160		—	3,163 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	13,802		—	1,722 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	7,777		—	613 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	8,693		—	443 0	
		—	—	—	73,432	73,432	—	5,941 0	5,941 0
Cigars .... lbs.	Great Britain	—	—	—	1,649		—	300 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	1,430		—	410 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	774		—	284 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	17		—	3 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	283		—	60 0	
		—	—	—	4,153	4,153	—	1,057 0	1,057 0
Snuff..... lbs.	Victoria	—	—	—	1,963		—	163 0	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	6		—	4 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	199		—	17 0	
		—	—	—	2,168	2,168	—	184 0	184 0
Wax..... cwt.	Great Britain	68	—	68	—	68	335 0	—	335 0
Wine..... gallons	Great Britain	1,632	—	1,632	—		414 0	—	
	Victoria	7,514	—	7,514	73		1,395 0	32 0	
	New South Wales	2,064	—	2,064	1,675		589 0	882 0	
	Western Australia	138	—	138	213		55 0	107 0	
	Queensland	60	—	60	550		12 0	285 0	
	New Zealand	1,331	—	1,331	—		254 0	—	
	India	70	—	70	—		105 0	—	
	Mauritius	175	—	175	—		27 0	—	
		12,984	—	12,984	2,511	15,495	2,851 0	1,306 0	4,157 0
Wool	Gt. Britain bales	46,489	—	46,489	654		748,543 0	10,283 0	
	Gt. Britain lbs.	15,703,955	—	15,703,955	226,962				
	Victoria .. bales	10,918	—	10,918	2,783		225,385 10	64,030 0	
	Victoria .. lbs.	3,602,368	—	3,602,368	941,600				
	Ud. States bales	1,133	—	1,133	—		16,245 0	—	
	Ud. States lbs.	433,200	—	433,200	—				
	Totals bales	58,540	—	58,540	3,437	61,977	990,173 10	74,313 0	1,064,486 10
	Totals lbs.	19,739,523	—	19,739,523	1,168,562	20,908,085			
Unenumerated value	Great Britain	—	—	—	—		209 0	818 0	
	Victoria	—	—	—	—		56 5	1,897 10	
	New South Wales	—	—	—	—		908 0	6,864 0	
	Western Australia	—	—	—	—		109 0	1,844 0	
	New Zealand	—	—	—	—		10 0	97 0	
	Queensland	—	—	—	—		30 0	6 0	
	Mauritius	—	—	—	—		90 0	40 0	
	Cape.....	—	—	—	—		—	82 0	
		—	—	—	—		1,412 5	11,648 10	13,060 15
	Grand Total ..	—	—	—	—	—	£2,539,723 0	319,014 3	2,858,737 3

Custom House, Port Adelaide, 9th April, 1867.

B. DOUGLAS, Collector of Customs.

EXPORTS—*(Continued).*

DECENNIAL RETURN of the TOTAL VALUE of EXPORTS from the PROVINCE, distinguishing the Countries to which exported, also the TOTAL VALUE of EXPORTS, the PRODUCE of the COLONY.

Years.	To Great Britain.	To British Possessions.							To Foreign States.	Totals.	Of which, Exports, Produce, &c., of the Colony.
		New South Wales.	Victoria.	Tasmania.	Western Australia.	East Indies and China.	Mauritius.	Other British Possessions.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1857	666,136	143,126	1,002,159	4,111	18,556	71,415	34,847	14,964	3,258	1,958,572	1,744,184
1858	550,491	115,041	814,039	1,690	12,516	13,140	3,288	495	1,485	1,512,185	1,355,041
1859	577,393	150,115	859,516	3,325	7,704	23,929	17,190	12,712	3,992	1,655,876	1,502,165
1860	783,898	190,226	710,251	1,577	8,690	66,788	15,583	6,453	250	1,783,716	1,576,326
1861	821,869	252,713	825,795	3,753	19,742	40,516	32,766	35,157	—	2,032,311	1,838,639
1862	943,607	323,994	556,422	2,344	13,178	148,400	40,633	113,580	3,638	2,145,796	1,920,487
1863	935,880	337,458	558,001	2,640	18,034	208,009	27,664	266,147	4,973	2,358,817	2,095,356
1864	918,523	632,127	1,254,654	5,226	12,221	132,783	21,364	275,792	52,855	3,305,545	3,015,537
1865	964,894	557,685	1,244,643	10,641	28,490	77,155	3,571	242,244	522	3,129,846	2,754,657
1866	1,155,865	352,553	935,295	210	44,499	145,311	8,879	175,929	40,195	2,858,737	2,538,723

EXPORTS, PRODUCE OF THE COLONY.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of BREADSTUFFS, GRAIN, &c., the PRODUCE of the COLONY, EXPORTED.

Years.	Flour.		Bran and Pollard.		Wheat.		Barley.		Oats.		Total Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
	Tons.	£	Tons.	£	Quarters.	£	Quarters.	£	Quarters.	£	£
1857	33,103	626,501	6,553	56,429	25,041	64,087	2,543	6,417	978	2,206	755,840
1858	22,982	378,618	4,931	43,686	35,894	93,994	1,052	3,790	1,811	4,310	525,398
1859	19,350	407,144	4,330	36,623	36,592	107,814	576	992	771	1,692	554,265
1860	21,166	383,520	3,359	25,236	29,873	87,177	441	949	935	2,220	499,102
1861	33,011	488,608	4,826	26,836	84,270	196,375	237	436	276	534	712,789
1862	35,604	428,600	6,700	35,038	87,120	164,599	2,384	4,134	504	870	633,241
1863	39,722	478,821	7,381	40,562	116,534	220,193	3,539	5,761	957	1,779	747,116
1864	41,817	844,619	8,209	48,974	195,385	563,713	3,417	5,463	991	1,824	1,464,593
1865	38,251	782,871	4,819	32,006	125,221	412,096	412	648	398	858	1,228,480
1866	30,496	498,924	2,560	18,517	46,756	126,601	121	290	404	1,069	645,401

DECENNIAL RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of METALS, MINERALS, &c., the PRODUCE of the COLONY, EXPORTED.

Years.	Copper.		Lead.		Copper Ore.		Lead Ore.		Regulus.		Total Values.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
	Cwts.	£	Cwts.	£	Tons.	£	Tons.	£	Tons.	£	£
1857	56,893	290,739	—	—	8,036	141,285	1,422	23,855	79	2,960	458,839
1858	47,796	250,042	—	—	6,697	104,780	853	14,200	154	4,260	373,282
1859	56,745	289,841	1,261	5,710	7,306	101,745	262	8,068	141	5,654	411,018
1860	65,429	331,775	1,824	8,275	7,097	89,130	68	2,480	338	14,877	446,537
1861	61,047	294,572	1,256	4,426	7,817	133,749	15	300	390	19,125	452,172
1862	85,872	400,591	426	981	6,216	124,263	97	2,266	418	19,518	547,619
1863	96,039	447,944	271	525	5,343	83,263	450¾	9,007	39	1,655	542,393
1864	134,055	637,791	63	121	4,545	38,125	566¾	13,107	52	2,480	691,624
1865	100,196	433,795	82	133	16,176	184,677	86½	1,507	—	—	620,112
1866	129,272	584,509	1,351	2,991	16,824	225,683	648	11,318	—	—	824,501

EXPORTS, PRODUCE OF THE COLONY—*(Continued).*

DECENNIAL RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of WOOL EXPORTED from the COLONY, showing the PORTS from whence EXPORTED.

Years.	Port Adelaide.		Port Wakefield.		Port Robe.		Port Augusta.		Port MacDonnell.		Port Wallaroo.		Port Caroline.		Port Victor.		Total Export of Wool.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	lbs.	£	lbs.	£	lbs.	£	lbs.	£	lbs.	£	lbs.	£	lbs.	£	lbs.	£]	lbs.	£
1857	7,405,859	354,735	1,083,344	56,700	1,206,000	93,085	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9,695,203	504,520
1858	5,252,617	266,899	1,716,608	94,184	806,000	59,750	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7,775 225	420,833
1859	5,190,603	260,000	1,706,170	75,000	1,218,720	80,916	1,381,222	69,061	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9,496,715	484,977
1860	5,699,200	277,350	1,908,800	78,525	1,549,540	88,768	2,573,831	128,725	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11,731,371	573,368
1861	6,662,020	333,080	2,285,269	94,200	876,600	46,200	3,335,442	149,227	5,000	300	—	—	—	—	—	—	13,164,391	623,007
1862	7,162,032	344,500	2,041,550	87,495	1,758,980	113,175	2,180,354	84,769	42,593	3,181	43,500	2,150	—	—	—	—	13,229,009	635,270
1863	7,321,137	340,166	2,799,000	119,100	1,218,400	77,760	4,128,641	172,263	39,309	2,923	60,300	3,723	—	—	—	—	15,566,787	715,935
1864	8,472,298	385,191	1,774,300	75,060	2,077,300	142,520	2,990,403	124,599	771,656	47,966	—	—	—	—	—	—	*16,092,095	775,656
1865	9,734,297	464,504	1,908,678	84,968	1,892,460	127,860	998,315	33,277	1,217,013	84,047	137,007	4,566	—	—	382,120	22,260	16,269,890	821,482
1866	12,164,497	610,218	3,374,226	139,515	1,539,500	102,630	857,188	31,394	1,423,919	85,966	—	—	266,703	12,350	113,400	8,100	19,739,523	990,173

* Includes Port Elliot, 6,138lbs., value £320.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of the undermentioned EXPORTS—PRODUCE of the COLONY.

Years.	Living Animals.				Bones and Hoofs.		Hides and Skins.	Horns.		Leather.		Tallow.		Bark.		Total Value.
	Horses.		Sheep.													
	No.	£	No.	£	Tons.	£	£	No.	£	Cwt.	£	Cwt.	£	Tons.	£	£
1857	39	930	12	24	36	211	2,562	3,970	15	279	1,338	193	316	473	3,162	8,558
1858	121	5,150	—	—	61	285	2,745	8,531	89	543	2,606	21	35	391	2,542	13,452
1859	263	9,368	6,410	6,091	88	471	2,293	20,039	148	945	4,323	—	—	570	3,698	26,392
1860	702	17,949	2,100	2,500	56	238	2,071	14,849	145	1,200	5,383	33	80	1,176	5,815	34,136
1861	441	11,410	2,807	2,712	45	181	1,314	12,825	53	1,645	8,576	246	476	505	2,268	26,990
1862	533	11,095	6,369	7,838	123	373	1,769	—	—	2,297	10,073	504	1,031	567	2,866	35,045
1863	902	18,339	832	923	73	386	6,631	—	—	1,560	7,263	35	70	993	5,969	39,581
1864	643	10,955	1,812	1,051	102	549	4,967	22,550	198	2,004	8,439	92	199	1,074	5,900	32,258
1865	559	9,414	1,214	6,050	56¾	249	3,983	210,980	1,059	2,692	11,802	16	30	2,526	13,853	46,440
1866	385	9,795	4,427	2,700	72¼	352	4,639	17,350	105	3,780	14,435	39	60	3,841	19,109	51,195

DECENNIAL RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of the undermentioned EXPORTS—PRODUCE of the COLONY.

Years.	Bacon and Hams.		Bread and Biscuit.		Butter.		Cheese.		Fruit	Hay.		Onions.		Eggs.	Plants and Seeds.	Wine.		Total Value.
	Cwt.	£	Cwt.	£	Cwt.	£	Cwt.	£	£	Tons.	£	Cwt.	£	£	£	Galls.	£	£
1857	5	29	777	1,295	590	3,154	263	911	356	344	2,969	724	938	623	1,474	1,636	531	12,280
1858	28	142	19	76	497	3,928	166	740	2,051	617	4,350	795	834	4,281	383	1,523	772	17,557
1859	8	30	—	—	503	3,982	105	483	5,404	507	2,906	90	80	7,688	191	2,915	1,023	21,787
1860	3	16	—	—	272	1,783	—	—	7,531	271	1,786	321	263	4,026	254	3,435	1,430	17,089
1861	9	69	—	—	286	1,254	—	—	5,449	500	2,340	106	94	5,072	70	2,796	1,139	15,478
1862	324	1,239	—	—	3,515	18,077	—	—	8,766	2,119	9,130	870	453	5,985	188	20,574	6,777	50,545
1863	471	1,915	—	—	1,940	9,924	—	—	4,605	2,863	11,953	565	321	5,769	689	27,705	7,243	42,419
1864	14	58	-	—	1,027	5,030	—	—	4,631	3,794	16,022	929	626	6,059	180	20,674	4,816	37,422
1865	18½	82	—	—	549½	3,658	2	8	4,495	730	4,997	55	80	3,867	60	23,481	4,399	21,646
1866	—	—	—	—	35	229	—	—	4,023	410	3,121	159	118	4,733	3	12,984	2,851	15,078

[For total value of Exports, the Produce of the Colony in each year, see previous page.]

RETURN of the EXPORTS of WOOL, COPPER, &c., distinguishing the COUNTRIES to which exported.

Years.	Wool.				Copper—Metal.					Copper—Ore.			Lead Ore.	
	Great Britain.	Victoria.	New South Wales.	Other Countries.	Great Britain.	Victoria.	New South Wales.	India.	Other Countries.	Great Britain.	Victoria.	Other Countries.	Great Britain.	Victoria.
	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1858	7,475,053	300,172	—	—	19,436	23,482	—	1,878	—	438	5,454	805	188	665
1859	8,645,122	851,593	—	—	19,544	32,501	—	3,500	1,200	653	5,211	1,442	—	262
1860	11,421,628	309,743	—	—	27,842	23,207	—	9,380	—	1,291	5,806	—	45	23
1861	13,046,663	117,728	—	—	18,171	37,096	—	4,780	1,000	3,008	4,709	100	—	—
1862	12,745,916	483,093	—	—	26,005	31,382	40	28,145	300	3,098	2,972	146	87	10
1863	14,884,101	670,926	11,760	—	21,088	35,050	40	39,861	—	5,295	—	48	197	253¾
1864	13,090,380	2,612,015	2,700	387,000	50,492	56,318	45	23,479	3,721	4,290	17	238	303¾	263
1865	13,005,459	3,264,431	—	—	28,485	58,756	415	12,540	—	9,477	3,659	3,040	86½	—
1866	15,703,955	3,602,368	—	433,200	49,701	41,839	4,000	29,870	3,862	7,775	6,479	2,570	590	58

EXPORTS, PRODUCE OF THE COLONY—*(Continued)*.

RETURN of the QUANTITY of FLOUR, BRAN, and POLLARD, and WHEAT exported from the COLONY during the YEARS 1863 to 1866, distinguishing the COUNTRIES to which exported.

Countries to which exported.	Flour.				Bran and Pollard.				Wheat.			
	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.
Great Britain	171	$\frac{1}{5}$	$\frac{2}{20}$	—	—	—	—	—	190	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	—
Victoria	9,392	16,536$\frac{1}{5}$	15,537	8,476$\frac{1}{5}$	3,651	4,165$\frac{3}{4}$	3,211	1,145	25,061	104,146	68,410	22,883
New South Wales	13,772	15,532$\frac{3}{4}$	14,322	12,047$\frac{1}{2}$	1,324	1,922$\frac{1}{2}$	728$\frac{1}{4}$	238	47,373	63,136	35,040	14,190
Western Australia	529	138	155$\frac{10}{20}$	841	180	27	22$\frac{3}{4}$	215	18	11	1	186
Tasmania	—	50	60	10	—	—	8	—	1,625	1,083	2,841	—
New Zealand	8,075	4,722	3,875$\frac{10}{20}$	2,353$\frac{1}{5}$	888	805	232	47	16,651	21,969	17,234	9,269
Cape Town	3,655	120	—	220$\frac{1}{2}$	287	71	20	16	21,061	1,885	—	—
Mauritius	1,144	372	90	471	754	547	93	292	4,555	1,720	—	16
India	120	—	70	—	5	—	15	—	—	385	1,694	—
Singapore	—	—	—	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
California	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Batavia	135	285	—	130	11	—	—	—	—	276	—	—
Bourbon	—	50	—	—	—	60	—	—	—	750	—	—
Hongkong	—	530	—	—	—	20	—	—	—	—	—	—
Brazil	354	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Queensland	2,375	3,481	4,141$\frac{10}{20}$	5,926$\frac{1}{2}$	281	591	489	607	—	24	—	212
Totals	39,722	41,817$\frac{3}{4}$	38,251$\frac{12}{20}$	30,496$\frac{1}{2}$	7,381	8,209$\frac{1}{4}$	4,819	2,560	116,534	195,385$\frac{1}{2}$	125,221	46,756

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS *VIA* RIVER MURRAY.

RETURN of IMPORTS *via* RIVER MURRAY from NEW SOUTH WALES and VICTORIA for the YEAR 1866.

Articles.	New South Wales.		Victoria.	
	Quantities.	Values.	Quantities.	Values.
		£ s.		£ s.
Beer	16 galls.	4 0	—	—
Drapery	—	10 0	—	—
Dried Fruit	19cwt. 2qrs. 20lbs.	45 0	—	—
Jewellery	—	100 0	—	—
Skins and Hides	—	437 0	—	—
Spirits	11$\frac{13}{32}$ galls.	5 0	—	—
Tallow	18cwt.	49 0	—	—
Timber	3 loads	10 0	—	—
Tobacco	2,122lbs.	184 0	—	—
Wool	1,954,425lbs.	138,405 0	—	—
Unenumerated	—	60 0	—	—
Total	—	£139,369 0	—	—

RETURN of EXPORTS *via* RIVER MURRAY to NEW SOUTH WALES during the YEAR 1866.

Articles.	Quantities.	Values.	Articles.	Quantities.	Values.
		£ s.			£ s.
Ale and Porter, in bulk	6,410 galls.	1,638 0	Potatoes	58$\frac{1}{2}$ tons	450 0
in wood	6,532 galls.	732 0	Rice	145c. 0q. 16lbs.	189 0
Books, Printed	—	10 0	Saddlery	—	1,901 0
Boots and Shoes	—	3,579 0	Salt	648cwt.	150 0
Clocks and Watches	—	43 0	Spirits—		
Coffee	7,737lbs.	499 0	Brandy	1,960$\frac{12}{32}$ galls.	1,147 0
Coin	—	300 0	Gin	430$\frac{2}{32}$ galls.	184 0
Corn—			Geneva	720$\frac{13}{20}$ galls.	252 0
Flour	1,406 tons	20,191 0	Rum	1,110$\frac{1}{32}$ galls.	277 0
Bran and Pollard	10$\frac{1}{4}$ tons	72 0	Whisky	816$\frac{7}{32}$ galls.	293 0
Wheat	64qrs.	146 0	Cordials	85$\frac{25}{32}$ galls.	60 0
Barley	28$\frac{1}{2}$qrs.	57 0	of Wine	10 galls.	3 0
Oats	285qrs.	919 0	Stationery	—	316 0
Cordage	—	7 0	Sugar—Refined	3cwt. 3qrs.	6 0
Drapery	—	11,996 0	Unrefined	4439c. 3q. 26lbs.	6,448 10
Drugs	—	6 0	Treacle	6cwt.	5 0
Dried Fruit	268c. 0q. 14lbs.	696 10	Tea	56,995lbs.	5,305 10
Earthenware	—	118 0	Timber	56 loads	516 0
Furniture	—	167 0	Palings	7,100 number	84 0
Groceries	—	8,721 0	Tobacco—		
Hardware	—	1,520 0	Manufactured	13,563lbs.	1,699 0
Hay	216 tons	1,524 0	Cigars	154$\frac{10}{16}$lbs.	97 0
Hops	1,306lbs.	87 0	Snuff	6lbs.	4 0
Iron—Manufactures	—	4,373 0	Wine	2,574 galls.	1,182 0
Jams	—	361 0	Woolpacks	—	2,356 0
Leather	23cwt.	116 0	Unenumerated	—	7,484 0
Malt	20 bushels	10 0			
Onions	29cwt.	29 0	Totals	—	£88,326 10

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS *VIA* RIVER MURRAY—*(Continued).*

DECENNIAL RETURN of the TOTAL VALUE of IMPORTS *viâ* RIVER MURRAY from NEW SOUTH WALES and VICTORIA.

Years.	New South Wales.	Victoria.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1857	31,909 0 0	8,513 0 0
1858	24,509 10 0	15,210 10 0
1859	43,901 10 0	6,060 0 0
1860	89,623 0 0	3,546 0 0
1861	119,047 0 0	1,460 0 0
1862	52,927 0 0	—
1863	61,387 0 0	—
1864	75,374 0 0	—
1865	140,105 0 0	—
1866	139,309 0 0	—

DECENNIAL RETURN of the TOTAL VALUE of EXPORTS *viâ* RIVER MURRAY, to NEW SOUTH WALES and VICTORIA.

Years.	New South Wales.	Victoria.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1857	33,272 0 0	59,365 0 0
1858	42,064 0 0	28,469 0 0
1859	54,878 0 0	25,739 0 0
1860	69,799 0 0	24,117 0 0
1861	44,107 0 0	9,512 0 0
1862	60,822 0 0	2,020 0 0
1863	76,054 0 0	5,161 0 0
1864	105,281 0 0	15,595 0 0
1865	126,677 0 0	80 0 0
1866	88,326 10 0	—

CUSTOMS DUTIES COLLECTED.

TABLE of CUSTOMS DUTIES COLLECTED between 1st JANUARY and 31st DECEMBER, 1866.

Article.	Quantities.	Rate.	Duties.	Remarks.
			£ s. d.	
Beer, Porter, Ale, &c., in wood ..	195,265 gallons	6d. per gallon	4,881 12 6	
" Bottle..	194,320 gallons	6d. per gallon	4,858 0 0	
Chicory	103,532lbs.	1d. per lb	431 7 8	
Cocoa and Chocolate	66,355lbs.	1d. per lb.	276 9 7	
Coffee	385,014lbs.	1d. per lb.	1,604 4 6	
Fruit, dried	10,297cwts. 3qrs. 17lb.	10s. per cwt.	5,123 18 9	Rebate of £25 0s. 10d. for damage
Hops	233,883lbs.	2d. per lb.	1,945 13 11	Rebate of £3 6s. 7d. for damage
Spirits	144,607$\frac{22}{32}$ gallons	10s. per gallon	72,304 16 5	
" Colonial distilled	1,610$\frac{28}{32}$ gallons	6s. 9d. per gallon	543 13 1	
Sugar	91,090cwts. 3qrs. 14lbs.	3s. per cwt.	13,645 0 9	Rebate of £18 13s. 2d. for damage
Molasses and Treacle.....	2,395cwts. 2qrs. 8lbs.	2s. per cwt.	239 11 2	
Tea	857,578lbs.	3d. per lb.	10,653 9 3	Rebate of £66 5s. 3d. for damage
Tobacco.....	258.019$\frac{15}{16}$lbs.	1s. 6d. per lb.	19,351 10 2	
" Sheepwash	20,333lbs.	3d. per lb.	254 3 3	
" Cigars	15,996$\frac{3}{16}$lbs.	4s. per lb.	3,199 4 10	
" Snuff.....	2,568$\frac{8}{16}$lbs.	4s. per lb.	513 14 0	
Wine in wood	36,184 gallons	2s. per gallon	3,618 8 0	
" Bottle.....	7,989$\frac{1}{12}$ gallons	3s. per gallon	1,198 7 3	
Wood, viz.—Posts and Rails	2,913 number	1s. 6d. per 100	2 3 10	
" Palings	720,610 number	6d. per 100	180 3 1	
" Shingles and Laths	1,439,100 number	6d. per 1,000	35 19 11	
" Trenails and Spokes	76,136 number	2d. per 100	6 6 11	
" Oars	5,425 feet	2s. per 100 feet	5 8 6	
" Sawn, &c.	17,536$\frac{33}{40}$ loads	2s. 6d. per load	2,192 2 3	
" Cedar	1,291$\frac{17}{40}$ loads	5s. per load	322 15 11	
Other Goods	£1,753,489 value	5 per cent. *ad valorem*	87,674 9 1	
		Total	£235,062 14 7	

INQUESTS.

RETURN of the NUMBER of INQUESTS held during the YEARS 1864 to 1866 specifying the VERDICTS returned.

Verdicts Returned.	Number of Inquests.								
	Males.			Females.			Totals.		
	1864.	1865.	1866.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1864.	1865.	1866.
Visitation of God	4	4	21	5	5	1	9	9	22
Natural Causes	9	9	15	4	7	7	13	16	22
Intemperance	4	6	3	2	—	1	6	6	4
Found dead	3	2	2	—	1	1	3	3	3
Accidental Deaths—Bleeding	—	2	—	—	1	—	—	3	—
Burning	2	2	1	6	2	5	8	4	6
Child overlaid and suffocated	—	1	2	—	—	1	—	1	3
Drowned	9	13	13	1	5	2	10	18	15
" upsetting of a boat	—	4	2	1	—	—	1	4	2
" found	1	—	6	1	—	1	2	—	7
" in a tank	—	—	3	1	—	—	1	—	3
" in a waterhole	—	3	1	1	1	—	1	4	1
" in a well	—	2	2	1	—	2	1	2	4
" whilst bathing	4	—	2	—	—	—	4	—	2
Explosion of blasting powder	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
" of boiler	4	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—
Exposure	3	2	5	—	—	2	3	2	7
Fall from a haystack	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
" horse	14	10	5	1	—	—	15	10	5
" ladder	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1
" vehicle	7	9	5	3	—	—	10	9	5
" railway truck	2	1	—	1	—	—	3	1	—
" plank	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
" ship's rigging	2	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	1
" bridge	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
" dray	9	7	8	1	—	—	10	7	8
" wharf	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	1
Fell down mine	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1
Falling of stone down a shaft	3	1	2	—	—	—	3	1	2
" banks of river	1	1	1	—	—	1	1	1	2
" timber	—	1	—	1	—	—	1	1	—
" under horse-rake	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Killed in a steam engine	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—
" by kick from a horse	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
" by lightning	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—
" in a mine shaft	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Poisoned	1	—	—	1	—	1	2	—	1
Run over	—	—	3	—	—	1	—	—	4
Scalded	—	—	2	—	—	1	—	—	3
Shot	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2
Suffocation	1	—	2	—	—	1	1	—	3
" in a mine	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Cause unspecified	9	17	8	2	6	—	11	23	8
Capital punishment (aborigines)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
" (whites)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manslaughter	1	1	—	—	—	2	1	1	2
Murder, wilful	1	—	3	1	—	—	2	—	3
Suicides—Hanging	1	2	6	—	4	—	1	6	6
Drowning	—	2	—	2	2	—	2	4	—
Cut throat	—	—	2	1	1	—	1	1	2
Poison	3	2	1	—	1	—	3	3	1
Shooting	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1
Strangling	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Felo de se, Poison	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—
Homicide, justifiable (aboriginal)	3	2	1	—	—	—	3	2	1
" " (white)	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
	103	114	141	38	36	31	141	150	172

	1864.	1865.	1866.			
Fires—Wilful	8	7	18			
Careless	5	7	2			
Accidental	8	16	9			
Unknown causes	21	26	11			
				42	56	40
Total number of inquests held				183	206	212

Compiled from Coroners' Abstracts.

J. BOOTHBY, Government Statist.

INSOLVENCIES.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the NUMBER of FIATS and ADJUDICATIONS in INSOLVENCY issued in the PROVINCE of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Years.	Number of Private Arrangements under Insolvent Act.*	No. of Fiats issued.					Amount of Liabilities as shown in the Insolvents' Schedules.	Amount of Assets, as shown in the Insolvents' Schedules.	Amount of Deficiency as shown in the Insolvents' Schedules.	Amount of Fees, &c., paid into the Treasury.			
		On Petition of Creditors.	On Petition of imprison'd Debtors.	Of which in *forma pauperis*.	On Petition of Debtors at large.	Totals.				Fees of Court.	Commission on Estates.	Interest on Investment in Government Securities.	Totals.
							£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1857	—	19	13	—	12	44	68,702 0 0	62,675 0 0	6,027 0 0	1,074 18 8	1,064 12 7	—	2,139 11 0
1858	28	46	33	—	26	105	283,514 0 0	182,668 0 0	100,846 0 0	1,713 11 1	606 8 8	90 0 0	2,409 19 9
1859	16	20	31	20	51	102	139,875 0 0	66,827 0 0	73,048 0 0	1,243 10 0	721 0 8	720 0 0	2,684 10 8
1860	3	29	39	24	56	124	79,039 10 2	49,055 7 8	29,084 2 6	1,389 8 8	311 7 1	†890 0 0	2,590 15 9
1861	7‡	12	46	31	50	108	101,140 6 1	37,379 1 7	63,761 4 6	996 18 6	327 1 0	600 0 0	1,923 19 6
1862	17	10	64	52	91	165	145,788 0 8	76,818 0 3	68,970 0 5	1,663 2 9	659 14 3	600 0 0	2,922 17 0
1863	25	19	50	43	82	151	85,300 3 3	40,673 3 0	44,627 0 3	1,489 11 6	302 15 1	600 0 0	2,392 6 7
1864	12	9	56	50	53	118	68,212 17 11	30,119 2 10	38,093 15 1	1,106 5 2	435 6 2	600 0 0	2,141 11 4
1865	20	12	39	38	58	109	117,482 16 2	69,741 15 7	47,741 0 7	1,002 16 10	269 0 2	600 0 0	1,871 17 0
1866	65	32	39	34	116	187	253,111 9 11	143,258 12 6	109,852 17 5	1,977 11 6	439 7 5	600 0 0	3,016 18 11

* New Act came into force November 1, 1860.

† £170 of this amount is for premium on £2,000 worth of bonds realized at eight and a-half per cent. premium.

‡ Since 1860 Arrangements by deed, of which notice has been given to the Official Assignee.

JOHN CHERRY, Official Assignee.

LANDS, CROWN.

DECENNIAL RETURN of SALES of CROWN LANDS in the PROVINCE of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Years.	Sales by Auction.												Sales at Fixed Price.*			Total Extent of Lands sold during each year.	Total Amount realized for same.†
	Town Lands.			Suburban Lands.			Special Country Lots.			Country Sections.			Country Lands.				
	No. of Lots.	Extent.	Average price per acre.	No. of Lots.	Area.	Average price per acre.	No. of Lots.	Extent.	Average price per acre.	No. of Lots.	Extent.	Average price per acre.	No. of Lots.	Extent.	Average price per acre.		
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.		Acres.	£ s. d.		A. R. P.	£ s. d.		A. R. P.	£ s. d.		A. R P.	£ s. d.	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
1857	64	26 3 5	102 19 4	36	3,026¾	1 2 9½	8	6,017 0 0	1 4 11$\frac{2}{10}$	746	111,204 0 0	1 4 9¾	422	57,326 0 0	1 0 4$\frac{3}{10}$	177,600 2 5	212,365 8 0
1858	15	3 2 17	29 12 1	—	—	—	29	5,920 0 0	1 1 3$\frac{3}{10}$	1,125	108,422 1 1	1 7 1$\frac{6}{10}$	404	43,670 0 0	1 0 3	158,115 3 18	197,820 16 0
1859	45	16 1 34	26 15 8	—	—	—	47	11,168 0 0	1 0 9$\frac{1}{10}$	1,009	122,841 3 0	1 3 4$\frac{5}{10}$	486	54,039 0 0	1 0 8$\frac{1}{10}$	188,065 0 34	211,574 11 0
1860	205	100 2 17	41 8 1	—	—	—	31	4,248 0 0	1 1 3$\frac{8}{10}$	1,097	103,703 0 10	1 3 0$\frac{8}{10}$	247	21,211 1 0	1 0 2$\frac{7}{10}$	129,262 3 27	149,755 8 0
1861	570	284 0 31	45 16 0	—	—	—	32	5,173 0 0	1 0 7$\frac{6}{10}$	1,129	98,816 0 0	1 4 7$\frac{5}{10}$	411	43,081 3 0	1 0 1$\frac{2}{10}$	147,354 3 31	183,352 12 0
1862	197	104 0 8	27 5 3	—	—	—	68	7,280 0 0	1 3 3$\frac{6}{10}$	882	85,636 0 19	1 3 5$\frac{1}{4}$	397	36,890 1 0	1 0 0	129,910 1 27	148,695 8 3
1863	368	154 1 30	35 18 4	—	—	—	55	7,193 0 0	1 1 7$\frac{4}{10}$	917	97,661 1 0	1 3 1$\frac{4}{10}$	491	54,783 0 0	1 0 0$\frac{3}{10}$	159,791 2 30	181,084 9 0
1864	121	46 3 39	27 5 10	—	—	—	29	4,194 2 0	1 1 9$\frac{1}{10}$	1,201	131,886 2 25	1 5 9$\frac{1}{10}$	736	88,043 0 0	1 0 4$\frac{3}{10}$	224,171 0 24	265,441 5 0
1865	328	174 0 16	16 10 6	156	4,216	2 13 4	106	13,132 0 0	1 3 7$\frac{3}{4}$	2,353	250,288 0 0	1 14 5$\frac{1}{4}$	444	48,667 0 0	1 0 4$\frac{1}{5}$	316,477 0 16	510,268 3 0
1866	166	100 0 15	28 12 8	226	2,728¾	4 0 5½	51	6,340 0 0	1 6 9	1,487	171,082 0 0	1 10 10$\frac{1}{4}$	276	33,279 0 0	1 0 5$\frac{1}{4}$	214,429 3 15	322,429 16 0

* Sales at fixed prices are lots passed at auction.
Number of acres alienated to 31st December, 1866--3,426,292.

† These sums will differ from the amounts of the "Land Sales" in the Treasury statements.
Number of acres that remain unalienated, estimated to be about—241,702,082, exclusive of Northern Territory.

G. W. GOYDER, Surveyor-General.

LANDS, CROWN—*(Continued).*

RETURN of LANDS LEASED for DEPASTURAGE PURPOSES during the YEARS 1851 to 1866.

Years.	Fourteen Years' Lease.		Annual Leases.		Total area of Land leased in each Year.	Annual Rent payable on		Total Annual Rent payable.
	Number of Leases.	Area leased.	Number of Leases.	Area leased.		Fourteen Years' Leases.	Annual Leases.	
		Sqr. Miles.		Sqr. Miles.	Sqr. Miles.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1851	234	14,017	51	1,294	15,311	8,288 15 0	1,294 0 0	9,582 15 0
1852	246	14,461	48	1,125	15,586	8,510 15 0	1,125 0 0	9,635 15 0
1853	293	16,316	43	970	17,280	9,212 5 0	970 0 0	10,182 5 0
1854	367	18,314	28	672	19,976	10,687 7 6	672 0 0	11,359 7 6
1855	403	18,226	13	228	18,454	10,922 17 6	228 0 0	11,150 17 6
1856	483	21,444	38	1,399	22,843	12,497 1 9	866 0 0	13,363 1 9
1857	555	24,619	34	1,181	25,809	14,010 10 0	680 0 0	14,690 10 0
1858	655	29,804	49	1,548	31,352	16,521 10 0	863 10 0	17,385 0 0
1859	725	33,800	52	1,450	35,252	18,680 17 1	842 17 6	19,523 14 7
1860	894	38,381	53	1,520	39,901	21,328 11 5	1,014 15 0	22,343 6 5
1861	1,033	43,088	75	2,939	46,027	23,683 6 0	1,831 10 0	25,514 16 0
1862	1,066	43,480	110	3,587	47,067	23,782 6 2	2,363 5 0	26,145 11 2
1863	1,100	44,207	107	4,074	48,281	24,272 15 8	2,493 17 6	26,766 13 2
1864	1,111	44,357	108	3,736	48,093	24,307 8 2	2,374 5 10	26,681 14 0
1865	1,070*	41,246	128	2,802	44,048	90,249 13 2	9,158 11 0	99,408 4 2
1866	1,057	40,559	53	1,293	41,852	89,898 11 11	2,789 14 11	92,688 6 10

* Including 182 expired leases re-valued.

RETURN relative to MINERAL LEASES, and APPLICATIONS for same, during the YEARS 1852 to 1866.

Years.	Applications for Mineral Leases.		Mineral Leases issued, or ready for issue.			Applications forfeited after expiry of right of search.		
	No.	Extent claimed.	No.	Extent Leased.	Amount of Yearly Rental.	No.	Extent claimed.	Amounts of Deposits forfeited.
		Acres.		Acres.	£ s. d.		Acres.	£ s. d.
1852	13	1,180	—	—	—	—	—	—
1853	2	160	—	—	—	3	260	130 0 0
1854	17	1,300	—	—	—	3	260	130 0 0
1855	3	130	1	80	40 0 0	13	990	495 0 0
1856	7	736	1	80	40 0 0	3	240	120 0 0
1857	29	2,970	8	960	482 0 0	3	240	120 0 0
1858	29	4,223	9*	665	332 10 0	5	351	175 10 0
1859	56	6,639	21	1,118	559 0 0	—	—	—
1860	328	30,537	36	2,201	1,100 10 0	—	—	—
1861	1,002	78,911	117	8,048	4,024 0 0	13	1,040	520 0 0
1862	237	17,588	216	15,225	7,612 10 0	250	19,587	9,793 10 0
1863	160	3,618	298	20,840	10,483 0 0	24	1,880	940 0 0
1864	120	9,564	247	17,151	8,817 0 0	9	610	305 0 0
1865	153	12,139	252	17,451	9,980 0 0	3	240	120 0 0
1866	461	29,908	275	19,194	10,851 10 0	4	320	160 0 0

* Includes lease of auriferous land at Echunga, to Messrs. France, Blundell, and others.

RETURN of the NUMBER of DEPASTURING CERTIFICATES, TIMBER and GOLD LICENCES, issued during the YEARS 1861 to 1866.

Years.	Depasturing Certificates.*			Timber Licences.*			Gold Licences.
	No. Issued.	No. of Head of Great Cattle.	No. of Head of Small Cattle.	Annual.	Half-yearly.	Quarterly.	
1861	309	8,918	169,616	159	145	216	585
1862	299	7,984	204,165	286	79	522	596
1863	463	10,432	236,218	335	55	558	374
1864	376	8,292	313,950	197	24	516	391
1865	438	9,368	276,145	115	435	145	245
1866	492	6,910	210,732	109	340	103	436

* Exclusive of those issued by District Councils.

G. W. GOYDER, Surveyor-General.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the AMOUNTS received at the TREASURY for the SALE and OCCUPATION of the WASTE LANDS of the CROWN in SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Years.	*Proceeds of Sales of Crown Lands.	Pasturage Leases.*				Depasturing Certificates.	Mineral Leases.	Timber Licences.	Gold Licences.	Aboriginal Reserves.	Totals.
		Fourteen Years' Leases.	Annual Leases.	Deposits on account of Leases.	Assessment on Stock.	Totals.						
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1857	220,984 7 0	13,022 14 0	503 5 0	4,328 10 0	—	17,854 9 0	845 5 0	428 0 0	680 0 0	136 10 0	728 14 4	2,818 9 4
1858	205,065 0 0	15,561 10 5	847 7 0	2,372 12 6	—	18,781 10 5	811 18 6	582 0 0	825 0 0	204 10 0	995 9 0	3,418 17 6
1859	226,719 0 0	15,811 5 11	269 17 6	8,110 14 6	27,613 9 2	51,805 7 1	2,322 7 6	1,326 0 0	1,083 0 0	45 9 0	914 19 0	5,691 15 6
1860	147,631 16 8	16,745 16 4	1,699 8 9	6,042 10 0	25,462 14 3	49,950 9 4	2,791 6 9	4,216 10 0	1,515 19 6	27 8 0	836 16 6	9,388 0 9
1861	200,449 1 4	19,051 8 11	144 8 9	4,749 0 0	20,689 5 1	44,614 2 9	3,022 13 0	19,302 0 0	1,480 19 6	60 9 6	1,108 2 0	+25,146 4 0
1862	154,392 4 6	21,643 6 11	3,898 7 6	3,213 19 6	48,293 8 8	77,049 2 7	3,078 8 3	10,250 9 2	2,275 15 0	63 12 6	862 16 0	+16,531 0 11
1863	184,414 17 9	26,338 4 2	2,853 5 0	3,922 9 6	30,183 18 0	63,297 16 8	3,693 17 6	8,841 11 7	1,934 5 0	49 5 0	758 5 3	+15,418 4 4
1864	256,672 18 0	25,747 18 6	2,158 2 0	6,452 9 6	27,739 10 1	62,098 0 0	4,572 7 2	8,791 10 0	2,050 7 6	52 10 0	581 3 9	+16,198 18 5
1865	504,677 1 9	43,300 2 4	8,771 13 0	4,792 2 0	5,107 15 9	61,971 13 1	10,069 15 8	6,193 15 0	2,231 5 0	30 12 6	764 3 0	+19,493 11 2
1866	331,285 6 6	99,376 11 7	1,346 12 11	2,165 2 0	10,885 18 3	113,774 4 9	9,212 18 7	6,582 8 0	2,288 0 0	57 2 6	673 15 0	+19,015 4 1

* The amounts in this column include the undermentioned sums, paid by purchasers as value of improvements effected on Crown Lands by lessees up to 30th June, 1862; such amounts being refunded by Government to the lessees from whose runs the lands were resumed for sale. From 1st July, 1862, a new arrangement took effect, under which such sums were treated as deposits, and are not included in above return.

Years.	£ s. d.	Years	£ s. d.	Years.	£ s. d.	Years.	£ s. d.
1857.....	2,840 5 0	1859.....	19,813 9 0	1862.....	3,770 5 3	1865.....	6,290 4 9
1858.....	4,789 6 0	1860.....	5,580 12 0	1863.....	7,696 12 0	1866.....	5,203 10 0
		1861.....	5,984 8 0	1864.....	3,965 10 4		

† Including Quarrying Licences—1861, £33; 1862, £139; 1863, £141; 1864, £151; 1865, £204; 1866, £201.

E. W. HITCHIN, Under Treasurer.

LICENCES.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the NUMBER of LICENCES and CERTIFICATES granted in SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Years.	Publicans' General.		Wine and Beer.		Storekeepers'.		Auctioneers'.		Appraisers'.		Pawnbrokers'.		Legal Practitioners'.		Medical Practitioners'.		Surveyors'.		Hawkers'.	
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
		£		£		£		£		£		£		£		£ s.		£		£
1857	410	10,250	12	144	68	340	47	790	5	25	4	40	46	230	4	4 4	—	—	—	—
1858	440	11,000	13	156	76	380	50	800	5	25	4	40	53	265	7	7 7	—	—	—	—
1859	446	11,150	—*	—	71	355	54	855	3	15	4	40	44	220	7	7 7	7	35	—	—
1860	439	10,975	—	—	76	380	49	790	3	15	4	40	45	225	5	5 5	14	70	—	—
1861	453	11,325	—	—	94	470	48	800	2	10	4	40	50	250	4	4 4	6	30	—	—
1862	461	11,506	—	—	93	465	57	870	6	30	4	40	49	245	5	5 5	5	25	—	—
1863	453	11,325	12	48	93	470	66	1,010	5	25	4	40	58	290	3	3 3	8	40	—	—
1864	464	10,580	39	156	77	770	71	1,040	8	40	2	20	65	325	5	5 5	6	30	479	355
1865	490	11,100	39	120	83	830	73	1,090	7	35	3	30	69	345	5	5 5	2	10	302	265
1866	493	6,660	92	184	73	365	58	1,015	5	25	3	30	69	345	6	6 6	2	10	349	217

* Discontinued until 1863.

E. W. HITCHIN, Under Treasurer.

LIENS, MORTGAGES, ETC.

DECENNIAL RETURN of NUMBER and AMOUNT of PREFERABLE LIENS on WOOL and of MORTGAGES on LIVE STOCK REGISTERED.

Years.	Preferable Liens on Wool.			Mortgages on Live Stock.				
	Number of Liens.	Number of Sheep.	Amount of Liens.	Number of Mortgages.	Number of Sheep.	Number of Horned Cattle.	Number of Horses.	Amount Lent.
			£ s. d.					£ s. d.
1857 ..	2	104,000	23,000 0 0	24	114,190	9,814	63	108,211 8 6
1858 ..	3	93,500	21,450 0 0	37	79,595	8,255	131	96,104 2 5
1859 ..	5	92,349	23,319 5 1	72	119,479	9,164	407	115,952 4 4
1860 ..	4	104,000	21,436 19 4	78	115,038	15,625	742	100,355 6 9
1861 ..	3	65,270	28,709 11 10	69	377,808	8,220	260	225,367 5 1
1862	*13	297,492	68,820 2 0	*91	330,955	12,808	381	183,473 6 3
	†1	1,500	700 0 0	†10	173,607	1,520	19	124,570 13 2
1863	*11	180,278	33,991 13 6	*74	263,061	15,195	868	183,591 14 4
	†4	94,000	21,391 13 6	†24	109,565	7,007	497	61,071 1 2
1864	*19	202,891	42,632 0 0	*78	235,763	6,575	310	129,656 16 6
	†2	14,673	5,388 0 0	†17	83,252	5,123	178	48,346 3 2
1865	*26	305,363	69,371 1 10	*56	214,046	4,619	278	101,678 0 8
	†4	61,000	14,246 13 0	†9	11,493	6	8	5,128 4 6
1866 ..	22	216,387	51,072 4 1	91	414,016	942	733	266,031 1 0

N.B.—When any sum has been secured both by a lien on the wool and by a mortgage of the sheep, the amount is included under the head of mortgages only.
* Under Act No. 4 of 1855-6. † Under Act No. 27 of 1862, repealed by Act No. 2 of 1865.

DECENNIAL RETURN of LIABILITIES secured by BILLS of SALE, JUDGMENTS, and WARRANTS of ATTORNEY, REGISTERED.

Years.	Securities.						Totals.	
	Bills of Sale.		Judgments.		Warrants of Attorney.			
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1857	—	94,407 4 7	—	2,835 4 9	—	1,600 0 0	—	98,842 9 4
1858	—	28,204 2 8	—	140 13 10	—	2,844 4 3	—	31,189 0 9
1859	106	61,025 3 9½	10	3,541 7 4	—	—	116	65,166 11 1½
1860	129	36,224 13 4	7	647 18 5	3	2,243 0 0	139	39,115 11 9
1861	85	55,993 15 6	—	—	2	1,695 12 8	87	57,689 8 2
1862	84*	48,329 14 5	2	465 13 8	1	5,000 0 0	87	53,795 8 1
	11†	1,982 0 0	—	—	—	—	11	1,982 0 0
1863	34*	18,771 5 1	7	5,838 8 10	—	—	41	24,609 13 11
	93†	16,750 0 0	—	—	1	2,500 0 0	94	19,250 0 0
1864	62*	24,760 4 9½	3	279 4 5	—	—	65	25,039 9 2½
	31†	16,296 11 11	—	—	—	—	31	16,296 11 11
1865	50*	27,381 1 8	4	2,298 13 9	—	—	54	29,679 15 5
	41†	16,237 0 0	—	—	1	2,615 4 2	42	18,852 14 8
1866	150	115,409 14 11	8	14,743 6 2	—	—	158	130,153 1 1

* Under Act 8 of 1841. † Under Act 27 of 1862, repealed by Act No. 2 of 1865.

LIENS, MORTGAGES, ETC.—*(Continued).*

DECENNIAL RETURN of the AMOUNT of MORTGAGES on LAND registered in the GENERAL REGISTRY OFFICE.

Years.	Amounts lent on						Totals.	
	Town Lands, Adelaide.		Country Lands.		Town and Country Lands.			
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
1857	—	77,653 5 0	—	449,931 2 2	—	14,550 0 0	—	542,134 7 2
1858	—	61,316 0 7	—	341,454 12 3	—	24,826 5 9	—	427,596 18 7
1859	60	54,745 5 9	994	359,733 17 0	5	1,660 0 0	1,113	416,139 2 9
1860	89	28,401 19 0	718	240,108 10 3	12	9,311 2 6	819	277,821 11 9
1861	71	33,097 0 0	706	309,084 14 9	5	13,400 0 0	782	355,581 14 9
1862, from 1st Jan. to 20th October ..	60	24,195 5 0	470	178,835 17 7	6	2,700 0 0	536	205,731 2 7
1863	62	20,650 0 0	372	200,762 10 5	5	2,350 0 0	439	223,762 10 5
1864	42	16,288 9 10	500	377,122 9 4	3	1,475 0 0	545	394,885 19 2
1865	81	45,547 6 1	177	100,201 1 8	193*	63,642 4 4	451	209,390 12 1
1866	79	27,759 12 0	296	272,673 2 4	180	55,031 12 11	555	355,464 7 3

* This includes country townships.

RETURN showing the AMOUNT lent on MORTGAGE under the REAL PROPERTY ACT; also the NUMBER of TRANSACTIONS in the LANDS TITLES REGISTRATION OFFICE, and the VALUE of the LAND brought under the operation of that Act.

Year.	Amount lent on Mortgage.	Transactions.																					Value of Land brought under operation of Act, including Land Grants.
		Applications.	Transfers.	Mortgages.	Leases.	Transfer of Mortgages.	Discharges of Mortgages.	Powers of Attorney.	Registration Abstracts.	Caveats.	Nomination of Trustees.	Encumbrances.	Transfer of Leases.	Surrender of Leases.	Schedule of Trusts.	Licences.	Transmissions, &c.	Withdrawal Caveat.	Assignments, &c., deposited.	Recovery by Lessor.	Order of Court.	Writ.	Foreclosure.	Totals.	
	£ s. d.																						£ s.
1858* ...	5,670 0 0	184	54	24	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	263	132,500 19
1859 ...	53,719 2 0	829	190	265	50	3	9	1	2	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,355	538,340 0
1860 ...	178,370 7 10	987	348	530	71	9	48	1	—	18	10	1	4	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,031	508,216 0
1861 ...	233,424 5 0	747	505	558	155	11	155	1	—	14	15	5	4	4	1	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,183	451,475 1
1862 ...	213,829 12 3	901	745	735	174	26	239	4	—	17	1	1	9	7	7	7	6	10	2	—	—	—	—	2,891	477,502 0
1863 ...	260,423 0 1	1060	898	901	227	23	325	9	—	34	—	5	13	24	16	16	22	22	—	1	1	1	—	3,598	505,806 0
1864 ...	333,401 3 1	1145	1292	959	227	40	493	33	—	36	—	4	17	31	29	16	58	19	—	2	1	1	1	4,406	623,167 0
1865 ...	492,158 17 7	1142	1767	1200	290	49	605	22	—	34	—	2	34	37	15	16	53	20	—	—	1	—	—	5,287	939,900 0
1866 ...	677,958 17 11	1034	1934	1697	334	66	708	24	—	71	—	5	47	32	19	21	44	22	—	—	1	1	—	6,060	779,648 0

* From 2nd July to 31st December.

W. B. T. ANDREWS, Registrar-General.

LIGHT-HOUSES.

RETURN relative to LIGHT-HOUSES on the COASTS and HARBORS of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, for the YEARS 1861 to 1866.

Light-house or Light-ship, where situated.	Names.	Nature of the Light.	By whom managed.	Expense of Management, and Stores.		Amount of Light-dues received.	
				Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
					£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Port Adelaide	Light-ship	Two fixed bright lights	3 keepers				
Troubridge Shoal ..	Troubridge Light-house	Intermittent bright light	"	1861	3,842 16 6	1861	*Nil.**
Cape Borda, Kangaroo Island	Flinders "	Revolving—white and red (½-min.)	" 1 boy	1862	4,414 13 4	1862	354 5 1†
Cape Willoughby, Kangaroo Island	Sturt "	Revolving—white (1½-min.)	3 keepers	1863	4,262 17 4	1863	2,255 13 3
Cape Northumberland	MacDonnell "	Revolving—white, red, and green (1-min.)	"	1864	4,711 15 11	1864	2,740 9 6
Glenelg Jetty	Glenelg "	Fixed—green	1 keeper	1865	4,969 13 2	1865	3,369 7 9
Semaphore Jetty ..	Semaphore "	Fixed—red	"				
Tipara Shoal	Tipara Lightship	Fixed—white and red	3 keepers	1866	5,588 18 11	1866	2,991 6 11

* Light Dues abolished 31st October, 1860.

† Light Dues re-established 1st November, 1862.

B. DOUGLAS, President Marine Board.

LITIGATION.

DECENNIAL RETURN of WRITS, &c., in the SUPREME COURT of the PROVINCE.

Years.	Common Law.			Equity.			Testamentary.				Matrimonial Causes Jurisdiction.	Appellate Jurisdiction.				
	No. of Writs issued.	No. of Records entered for trial.	Total amount for which judgments signed.	No. of Bills filed.	No. of Claims.	No. of Petitions.	No. of Probates.	Amount sworn to.	No. of Letters of Administration and orders for Administration by Curator.	Amount sworn to.	No. of Cases.	No. of Special Cases from Insolvency Court.	No. of Appeals from Local Courts.	No. of Writs of Certiorari removing Judgment from Local Court.	No. of Writs of Habeas Corpus, Mandamus, &c.	No. of Special Cases.
			£					£		£						
1857	1,035	206	34,531	17	20	33	38	28,310	28	14,220	—	15	—	—	—	—
1858	1,404	186	54,369	9	13	31	48	54,589	25	19,010	—	10	—	—	—	—
1859	1,310	163	28,651	24	15	24	44	54,466	36	33,330	16	7	—	—	—	—
1860	1,543	176	20,842	13	17	28	54	88,370	25	9,860	24	3	—	—	—	—
1861	1,120	103	20,488	12	11	18	47	67,447	37	36,640	11	1	—	—	—	—
1862	1,011	67	14,608	12	5	24	54	175,074	44	42,770	12	3	16	—	—	—
1863	594	42	9,449	14	8	30	58	56,448	54	36,367	9	2	27	28	13	4
1864	550	49	11,064	10	7	26	91	114,998	55	34,523	12	4	21	51	11	5
1865	710	51	12,530	18	9	25	88	277,070	56	16,670	14	1	33	44	6	4
1866	522	46	28,841	19	8	16	115	149,185	42	22,445	12	2	37	47	5	3

1860—Writs of summons 871. 1861—Writs of summons, 710. 1862—Writs of summons, 439. 1863—Writs of summons, 155. 1864—Writs of summons, 168. 1865—Writs of summons, 366.18 66—Writs of Summons, 293.

WM. HINDE, Master of Supreme Court.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the NUMBER of WRITS which passed through the SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Years.	Nature of Writs.							Totals.
	Capias ad Satisfaciendum.	Capias.	Fieri Facias.	Habere Facias Possessionem.	Venditione Exponas.	Attachment for Contempt.	Execution on the body.	
1857	62	16	94	11	—	8	—	191
1858	78	23	154	9	4	1	—	269
1859	61	13	120	13	4	1	—	212
1860	53	21	111	16	6 Ne exeat regno 3	—	1	210
1861	50	13	77	5	5	—	8	158
1862	34	5	54	5	1 Injunction 3	—	3	105
1863	13	8	29	4	7	—	—	61
1864	28	5	21	6	4	4	—	68
1865	17	5	36	5	3	2	—	68
1866	40	5	53	8	3	6	—	115

WILLIAM R. BOOTHBY, Sheriff.

RETURN of the NUMBER of CASES (CIVIL SIDE) in the LOCAL COURTS of the PROVINCE, during the YEARS 1865 and 1866.

Claims made in the Local Courts of	Total number of Summonses issued.		No. of Cases Tried before a Jury (of four).		Total amount of Claims sued for.		Amount of Judgments obtained after hearing.*	
	1865.	1866.	1865.	1866.	1865.	1866.	1865.	1866.
Limited Jurisdiction—					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Up to £5	3,896	5,465	—	—	9,056 5 9	12,868 3 11	2,699 15 11	3,640 14 3
Above £5 and up to £10	1,434	2,344	—	—	10,251 7 11	16,490 16 4	3,345 0 2	5,324 4 1
" £10 " £20	1,014	1,693	—	1	14,478 4 2	23,976 10 4	5,120 6 5	7,246 6 3
Full Jurisdiction—								
Above £20 and up to £30	393	813	7	6	9,388 10 9	19,702 8 10	3,419 9 9	6,273 13 2
" £30 " £50	327	636	5	14	12,720 5 1	25,124 0 8	3,930 4 11	8,002 19 10
" £50 " £100	248	500	9	19	18,394 0 2	34,968 9 6	5,416 2 10	11,720 2 8
" £100, "by consent"	2	—	—	—	240 0 0	—	—	—
	7,314	11,451	21	40	74,528 13 10	133,130 9 7	23,931 0 0	42,208 0 3

* These sums do not represent the whole amount recovered through the agency of these Courts, as a large proportion of the claims are settled—after issue of the summons—out of Court.

J. BOOTHBY, Government Statist.

LITIGATION

RETURN of the NUMBER of CASES (CIVIL SIDE)

Local Court of	Up to £5.		Above £5 and up to £10.		Above £10 and up to £20.		Above £20			
	No. of Summonses issued.	Amount of Claims sued for.	Amount of Verdict obtained.	No. of Summonses issued.	Amount of Claims sued for.	Amount of Verdict obtained.	No. of Summonses issued.	Amount of Claims sued for.	Amount of Verdict obtained.	No. of Summonses issued.	Amount of Claims sued for.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Adelaide	2,107	4,892 16 10	1,431 1 9	875	6,066 11 11	2,276 17 6	666	9,493 12 1	3,129 17 8	378	9,301 8 7
Port Adelaide ..	281	617 2 6	361 17 0	85	613 2 0	409 15 6	51	691 17 6	490 3 0	20	489 4 0
Morphett Vale ..	104	224 19 4	80 10 1	37	247 3 2	83 2 7	21	317 6 5	64 8 4	3	64 15 4
Willunga	74	170 19 6	108 11 3	25	155 19 7	113 17 2	14	207 7 9	102 14 8	2	58 3 0
Port Elliot	44	113 8 9	19 13 2	19	152 15 11	55 17 7	21	305 6 6	79 7 9	5	133 10 3
Goolwa	34	89 17 11	22 2 11	11	80 9 4	8 4 0	10	140 10 9	75 17 0	8	200 1 10
Yankalilla	69	147 8 9	19 16 2	33	236 6 1	38 11 11	19	281 13 9	58 14 7	7	174 2 11
Robe	25	59 13 0	30 1 0	13	92 10 11	29 8 1	13	164 2 0	83 10 11	7	175 6 11
Mount Gambier	139	365 19 6	37 8 0	89	627 10 6	86 10 0	85	1,241 6 2	201 8 8	30	733 4 2
Penola	36	101 8 7	53 0 11	18	122 10 1	54 12 7	18	244 8 3	122 12 8	3	84 6 2
Narracoorte ..	18	26 12 0	10 9 6	14	97 16 3	14 3 9	5	59 13 6	17 7 6	2	56 1 1
PortMacDonnell	43	110 4 0	86 12 5	36	227 11 2	164 2 4	14	167 9 11	140 5 4	4	97 5 10
Mount Barker ..	79	235 13 7	67 6 10	56	418 15 4	113 7 2	26	364 14 10	27 16 0	16	372 13 7
Woodside	89	186 17 7	4 8 8	26	195 13 4	23 10 10	12	167 15 2	6 0 0	8	187 2 6
Strathalbyn ..	127	287 5 11	83 2 10	32	248 12 4	90 14 4	36	500 0 10	179 6 1	14	344 6 1
Redruth	288	661 0 0	38 11 3	75	525 10 2	70 18 7	45	738 10 11	124 19 1	9	215 19 10
Clare	186	389 2 0	107 14 10	75	532 5 4	145 2 3	44	610 3 9	259 17 6	25	608 8 8
Auburn	68	193 2 9	24 19 7	38	267 9 4	38 5 10	37	535 13 9	123 3 8	20	478 1 4
Angaston.....	47	120 19 8	77 2 4	37	175 6 10	71 9 6	19	261 15 2	—	8	195 17 0
Kapunda	255	667 6 7	58 12 0	147	1,074 15 7	124 6 1	135	1,926 9 7	256 12 11	71	1,710 16 2
Riverton	34	110 7 5	45 1 10	36	237 0 4	45 18 4	24	133 16 10	72 9 8	18	207 6 6
Tanunda	130	303 7 2	150 1 8	52	360 5 2	194 6 1	42	610 4 9	225 16 6	22	562 8 5
Gawler	330	786 7 7	53 18 9	154	1,106 16 6	55 16 8	121	1,699 17 9	154 7 2	61	1,455 10 8
Gumeracka	51	126 6 4	5 12 6	18	145 8 8	27 1 6	19	244 13 8	49 17 10	1	29 4 6
Salisbury.....	55	133 5 5	18 11 3	23	173 9 0	48 12 2	6	94 3 1	15 0 0	4	90 3 8
Teatree Gully ..	25	51 4 11	8 2 8	9	65 0 7	31 1 4	3	46 19 3	—	—	—
Melrose	45	121 17 4	48 12 10	27	211 19 10	78 18 10	19	275 13 0	166 5 4	8	207 15 6
Port Augusta .	78	215 16 10	96 6 6	41	291 13 3	61 18 2	44	671 3 0	224 13 0	14	355 7 6
Port Lincoln ..	50	115 6 9	100 11 3	32	196 4 6	189 4 8	10	167 19 3	96 18 9	11	265 17 8
Kadina	195	469 3 3	146 11 4	77	553 2 1	195 3 10	50	688 2 3	306 9 1	15	380 15 9
Port Wallaroo ..	178	377 3 8	151 0 1	78	575 19 7	202 12 3	32	470 12 8	230 16 7	12	288 0 3
Moonta	181	395 18 6	93 1 1	56	415 1 8	180 12 8	32	453 6 3	159 9 0	7	179 3 2
Total	5,465	12,868 3 11	3,640 14 3	2,344	16,490 16 4	5,324 4 1	1,693	23,976 10 4	7,246 6 3	813	19,702 8 10

Limited Jurisdiction, up to £20. Full Jurisdiction, over £20.

—*(Continued).*

TRIED in each LOCAL COURT, during the YEAR 1866.

and up to £30.		Above £30 and up to £50.		Above £50 and up to £100.			Above £100, by consent.					
Amount of Verdict obtained.	No. of Summonses issued.	Amount of Claims sued for.	Amount of Verdict obtained.	No. of Summonses issued.	Amount of Claims sued for.	Amount of Verdict obtained.	No. of Summonses issued.	Amount of Claims sued for.	Total No. of Summonses issued.	Total Amount of Claims sued for.	Total Amount of Verdict obtained.	Cases tried before a Jury.
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
3,162 5 2	299	11,753 17 3	4,675 4 8	244	17,886 14 7	6,145 2 10	—	—	4,569	59,395 1 3	20,820 9 7	9
286 15 0	18	739 7 0	359 6 6	15	1,041 17 0	629 17 0	—	—	470	4,192 10 0	2,537 14 0	3
23 13 7	1	35 0 0	—	3	253 2 0	—	—	—	169	1,142 6 3	251 14 7	—
28 9 0	2	96 7 10	55 0 0	3	298 13 10	80 0 0	—	—	120	987 11 6	488 12 1	2
53 11 11	5	187 7 0	35 14 5	3	236 1 0	51 10 0	—	—	97	1,128 9 5	295 14 10	—
90 5 4	4	151 0 0	71 6 9	4	281 15 1	90 0 0	—	—	71	943 14 11	357 16 0	—
20 5 0	4	154 13 10	18 0 0	5	383 13 1	—	—	—	137	1,377 18 5	155 7 8	—
93 6 0	4	153 16 0	95 7 1	6	419 10 7	371 16 9	—	—	68	1,064 19 5	703 9 10	—
267 8 3	23	919 9 11	266 15 2	19	1,403 14 3	181 5 0	—	—	385	5,291 4 6	1,040 15 1	—
53 14 6	7	288 17 5	66 11 9	9	753 19 8	227 19 1	—	—	91	1,595 10 2	578 11 6	—
42 1 3	1	48 13 2	16 1 2	2	111 0 0	61 1 0	—	—	42	399 16 0	161 4 2	—
33 1 11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	97	602 10 11	424 2 0	—
129 6 1	5	175 0 0	139 0 0	6	481 11 0	329 8 6	—	—	188	2,048 8 4	806 4 7	3
20 12 6	10	374 11 2	114 19 8	3	227 13 9	5 0 0	—	—	148	1,339 13 6	174 11 8	1
173 7 8	12	466 19 4	165 15 10	11	913 5 5	200 5 0	—	—	232	2,760 9 11	892 11 9	1
13 12 0	10	393 9 11	118 12 2	7	531 18 5	100 0 0	—	—	434	3,066 9 3	466 13 1	2
244 14 10	14	572 16 5	198 13 10	11	880 5 4	406 7 3	—	—	355	3,593 1 6	1,362 10 6	1
72 0 0	22	841 10 7	127 0 0	19	1,391 9 4	254 0 0	—	—	204	3,707 7 1	639 9 1	5
90 0 2	11	418 4 2	166 11 6	5	335 16 10	217 19 10	—	—	127	1,507 19 8	623 3 4	1
147 5 10	62	2,398 12 7	237 3 1	37	863 14 4	373 4 5	—	—	707	8,641 14 10	1,197 4 4	4
24 18 0	6	483 8 8	92 0 8	3	211 19 0	100 0 0	—	—	121	1,383 18 9	380 8 6	3
182 19 2	9	342 3 10	200 3 2	11	824 5 10	277 18 6	—	—	266	3,002 15 2	1,231 5 1	1
93 15 3	54	2,046 14 3	36 3 0	29	2,094 10 2	248 17 3	—	—	749	9,189 16 11	642 18 1	2
22 16 8	6	280 7 0	80 13 6	3	277 2 10	60 0 0	—	—	98	1,103 3 0	246 2 0	2
37 5 2	3	113 18 4	24 10 0	1	100 0 0	0 1 0	—	—	92	704 19 6	143 19 7	—
—	1	40 0 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	38	203 5 3	39 4 0	—
129 17 5	2	69 17 10	37 7 4	3	220 11 0	68 7 7	—	—	104	1,107 14 6	529 9 4	—
168 11 7	14	534 7 5	177 11 1	16	1,173 15 7	642 16 9	—	—	207	3,242 3 7	1,371 17 1	—
152 10 2	4	168 2 4	11 1 7	10	626 9 6	165 7 6	—	—	117	1,540 0 0	715 13 11	—
193 17 11	6	225 5 11	104 7 0	8	548 12 7	290 5 11	—	—	351	2,865 1 10	1,236 15 1	—
116 11 8	12	438 11 1	271 9 0	4	195 7 6	141 11 6	—	—	316	2,345 14 9	1,114 1 1	—
104 14 2	5	211 9 11	40 9 11	—	—	—	—	—	281	1,654 19 6	578 6 10	—
6,273 13 2	636	25,124 0 8	8,002 19 10	500	34,968 9 6	11,720 2 8	—	—	11,451	133,130 9 7	42,208 0 3	40

J. BOOTHBY, Government Statist.

LOANS FOR PUBLIC WORKS.

STATEMENT of the PARTICULARS of LOANS for PUBLIC WORKS in the PROVINCE of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.*

Act of Legislature sanctioning the Loan.	Public Work for which Loan was incurred.	Year.	Amount of Loan authorized to be raised.	Amount of Bonds issued in years specified.	Amount of Bonds redeemed during those years.	Amount of Loan outstanding on 31st December, 1866.	Earliest date of Redemption.	Latest date of Redemption.
			£	£	£	£		
Acts No. 12 of 1852 and 18 of 1852	Adelaide City and Port Railway	1854	150,000	150,000	15,000	14,000	1st July, 1854	1st Jan., 1869
		1855		—	8,000			
		1856		—	8,000			
		1857		—	8,000			
		1858		—	8,000			
		1859		—	9,000			
		1860		—	10,000			
		1861		—	10,000			
		1862		—	11,000			
		1863		—	11,000			
		1864		—	12,000			
		1865		—	13,000			
		1866		—	13,000			
Act No. 27 of 1855-6	Adelaide City and Port Railway	1856	36,000	36,000	—	36,000	1st Jan., 1867	1st July, 1884
Act No. 18 of 1854	Adelaide and Gawler Town Railway	1856	250,000	125,000	—	159,000	1st Jan., 1858	1st July, 1882
		4857		124,000	—			
		1858		—	10,000			
		1859		—	10,000			
		1360		—	10,000			
		1861		—	10,000			
		1862		—	10,000			
		1863		—	10,000			
		1864		—	10,000			
		1865		—	11,000			
		1866		—	10,000			
Act No. 20 of 1854	Port Adelaide Harbor Improvement	1856	100,000	7,000	—	73,000	1st Jan., 1858	1st Jan., 1885
		1857		10,000	—			
		1858		63,500	4,000			
		1859		19,500	3,000			
		1860		—	—			
		1862		—	4,000			
		1863		—	3,750			
		1864		—	4,250			
		1865		—	4,000			
		1866		—	4,000			
Act No. 28 of 1855-6	City of Adelaide Waterworks	1857	200,000	179,700	—	200,000	1st Jan., 1867	1st Jan., 1894
		1858		20,300	—			
Act No. 9 of 1857-8	Adelaide City and Port and Gawler Town Railways	1858	73,000	28,500	—	60,600	1st July, 1864	1st Jan., 1887
		1859		39,000	—			
		1860		600	—			
		1864		—	1,500			
		1865		—	3,000			
		1866		—	3,000			
Act No. 10 of 1857-8, 21st Victoria	Gawler Town Railway, first extension	1859	80,000	73 600	—	65,600	1st July, 1863	1st Jan., 1887
		1850		3,200	—			
		1863		—	1,600			
		1864		—	3,200			
		1865		—	3,200			
		1866		—	3,200			
Act No. 2 of 1858, 22nd Victoria	Gawler Town Railway, second extension	1859	40,000	36,000	—	32,000	1st Jan., 1864	1st July, 1886
		1860		800	—			
		1864		—	1,600			
		1865		—	1,600			
		1866		—	1,600			
Act No. 20 of 1859, 22nd and 23rd Victoria	Gawler Town Railway, third extension	1860	13,500	12,200	—	11,400	1st Jan., 1865	1st Jan., 1887
		1861		400	—			
		1865		—	600			
		1866		—	600			
Act No. 2 of 1860	Completion of Northern Railways and City Waterworks	1860	46,000	43,200	—	4,600	1st July, 1862	1st Jan., 1867
		1862		—	4,600			
		1863		—	8,900			
		1864		—	9,200			
		1865		—	6,700			
		1866		—	9,200			
Act No. 19 of 1861	Waterworks Completion	1861	35,000	16,000	—	32,400	1st July, 1883	1st Jan., 1887
		1862		16,400	—			
Act No. 23 of 1862	Victor Harbor Works and Tramway	1863	14,000	12,800	—	12,800	1st July, 1887	1st July, 1888
Act No. 25 of 1862	Port Augusta Water Supply	1863	20,000	18,000	—	18,000	1st July, 1888	1st Jan., 1890
Act No. 17 of 1863	Port Adelaide Waterworks	1863	36,000	18,000	—	32,200	1st July, 1890	1st July, 1893
		1864		14,200				
Act No. 1 of 1866	Strathalbyn and Middleton Tramway	1866	48,000	24,000	—	24,000	1st Jan., 1892	1st Jan., 1893
			‡1,141,500	†1,092,900	317,300	775,600		

* The interest, six per cent. per annum, is payable on the 1st January and July in each year, on which dates also the redemption payments fall due. Redemptions of 1st January are included in year in which the payments were actually made.

† This Act authorized £280,000 to be raised; but that amount was reduced £80,000 by Act No. 10, 1857-8, leaving the drainage unprovided for.

‡ The difference between amounts in these columns is to be accounted for by the fact that, in contracting the loans, from that of 1857-8, inclusive, the premiums obtained on Bonds have been regarded as forming portion of amounts authorized by Acts to be raised.

E. W. HITCHIN, Under Treasurer.

MANUFACTORIES, TRADES, &c.

RETURN of MANUFACTORIES, WORKS, &c., in the MUNICIPAL TOWNS and COUNTRY DISTRICTS, during the YEARS 1865 and 1866.

Description.	Adelaide.		Kensington & Norwood.		Port Adelaide.		Gawler.		Country Districts.		Total.	
	1865.	1866.	1865.	1866.	1865.	1866.	1865.	1866.	1865.	1866.	1865.	1866.
MANUFACTORIES—												
Aerated Bread	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
Agricultural Implements	7	6	—	—	—	—	6	6	44	44	57	56
Barilla	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1
Billiard Table	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3
Biscuit	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	4	4	5	5
Brick	—	—	2	2	—	—	3	2	60	60	65	64
Brush	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	2	2
Bone-dust	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	2	2
Candle and Soap	4	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	8	7
Chaff cutters and Corn-crushers (steam)	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	6	6
Coach	14	12	1	1	—	—	6	6	—	6	21	25
Coffee-roasting	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	2
Cordial	3	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	6	11	13
Dye Works	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3
Glue and Size	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	2	2
Hat	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3
Ice	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
Jam	3	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	8	8	12	11
Oil, olive	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	3	1
Organ and Pianoforte	6	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	5
Picture Frame	10	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	9
Soda-water and Ginger-beer	7	6	1	1	—	—	—	1	20	18	28	26
Tiles and Pipes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1
ESTABLISHMENTS—												
Boiling-down	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
Boat-building	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	11	10	12	11
Quartz-crushing	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	6	3	6
Ship-building	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	6	6	6
Whale-fishery	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1
WORKS—												
Breweries	5	4	2	2	2	2	1	1	26	28	36	37
Distilleries—Licensed Stills (Wark's Act)	—	1	2	2	—	—	—	1	60	65	62	80
Foundries—Iron and Brass	8	10	—	—	—	—	2	2	5	5	15	17
Gas	1	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	2	2
Lime-kilns	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	70	70	70	70
Malting-houses	8	9	—	—	2	2	—	2	11	11	21	24
Marble-polishing	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
Potteries	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	6	3	6
Printing-presses	18	20	—	—	2	2	1	2	10	10	31	34
Quarries—Slate	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	13	12	13
Building-stone	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	88	107	88	107
Marble	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	5	5	5
Saw-mills—Steam	9	8	—	—	2	3	3	4	6	6	20	21
Water-power	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	2	2
Slips, Patent	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	5	4	5
Smelting Works	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	13	12	14	13
Stone-crushers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	5	5	5
Tanneries or Fellmongeries	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	34	30	36	32
Waterworks	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	4	4
Water-distilleries	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	12	12	20
Wine-presses	—	—	12	12	—	—	—	—	170	170	182	182
Machines for raising water—By wind	—	—	4	4	—	—	—	—	40	30	44	34
Horses	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	55	50	55	50
Steam	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	5	5	5
" On Mines	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	28	30	28	30
Not described	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	10	10	10

RETURN of the NUMBER of MANUFACTORIES, WORKS, &c., in the PROVINCE, for the YEARS 1862, 1863, 1864, 1865, and 1866.

Description.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.
MANUFACTORIES—					
Aerated Bread	—	—	—	1	1
Agricultural Implements	42	42	48	57	56
Barilla	1	1	1	1	1
Billiard Table	2	2	2	2	3
Biscuit	2	5	5	5	5
Brick	70	62	61	65	64
Brush	1	1	1	2	2
Bone-dust	2	2	1	2	2
Candle and Soap	9	8	8	8	7
Chaff-cutters and Corn-crushers	—	2	3	6	6
Coach	20	19	16	21	21
Coffee-roasters (steam)	—	1	1	2	2
Cordial	9	8	10	11	13
Dye-works	—	—	2	3	3
Glue and Size	1	2	2	2	2
Hat	2	2	2	3	3
Ice	1	1	1	1	1
Jam	2	10	9	12	11
Oil, Olive	—	—	3	3	1
Organ and Pianoforte	3	5	5	6	5
Picture Frame	7	7	7	10	9
Salt	1	1	—	—	—
Soda-water and Ginger-beer	25	31	28	28	26
Tiles and Pipes	1	1	1	1	1
ESTABLISHMENTS—					
Boiling-down	—	—	1	—	1
Boat-building	9	8	12	12	11
Quartz-crushing	3	1	1	1	6
Ship-building	4	4	4	6	6
Whale-fishery	1	1	1	1	1
WORKS—					
Breweries	36	36	34	36	37
Distilleries, Licensed	43	49	58	62	80
Foundries, Iron and Brass	16	15	14	15	17
Gas	—	2	2	2	2
Lime-kilns	70	70	70	70	70
Malting-houses	18	21	19	21	24
Marble-polishing	—	1	1	1	1
Potteries	3	3	3	3	6
Printing-presses	25	23	25	31	34
Quarries—Slate	15	15	10	12	13
Building-stone	83	84	88	88	107
Marble	5	5	5	5	5
Saw-mills—Steam	18	20	17	20	21
Water-power	2	2	2	2	2
Slips, Patent	3	3	3	4	5
Smelting-works	13	13	13	14	13
Stone-crushers—Steam	—	5	5	5	5
Tanneries or Fellmongeries	39	32	34	36	32
Waterworks	3	3	4	4	4
Water-distilleries	6	22	12	12	20
Wine-presses	140	177	179	182	182
Machines for raising water, viz.—					
By wind	34	42	44	44	34
Horses	59	66	51	55	50
Steam	5	5	5	5	5
" on Mines	20	22	25	28	30
Not described	8	16	8	10	10

A portion of the above information was not procured in previous years.

MANUFACTORIES, TRADES, &c. *(Continued).*

RETURN of STORES, OFFICES, &c., within the limits of MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS of ADELAIDE and PORT ADELAIDE, 1863 and 1866.

	City of Adelaide.										Town of			
	Hindmarsh Ward.		Gawler Ward.		Grey Ward.		Robe Ward.		Total.		Port Adelaide.		Grand Total.	
	1863.	1866.	1863.	1866.	1863.	1866.	1863.	1866.	1863.	1866.	1863.	1866.	1863.	1866.
STORES—														
Merchants and General Importers	19	24	41	36	3	12	—	—	63	72	26	28	89	100
Grain and Flour	6	6	7	7	3	2	—	—	16	15	7	7	23	22
Wholesale Grocers	4	4	10	10	—	—	—	—	14	14	2	2	16	16
Wholesale Drapers	8	10	8	8	—	1	—	—	16	19	—	1	16	20
Wholesale Ironmongers	4	4	7	7	—	—	—	—	11	11	—	1	11	12
Wholesale Saddlers	1	1	3	3	—	—	—	—	4	4	—	—	4	4
Wholesale Wine and Spirit	5	5	9	9	1	1	—	—	15	15	3	1	18	16
Unoccupied	4	1	7	—	—	—	—	—	11	1	2	—	13	1
Totals	51	55	92	80	7	16	—	—	150	151	40	40	190	191
OFFICES—														
Accountants	1	1	4	9	—	8	—	—	5	18	—	—	5	18
Auctioneers	2	1	12	10	—	3	—	—	14	14	—	—	14	14
Architects and Surveyors	2	2	8	8	—	4	—	—	10	14	—	—	10	14
Agents, Land	8	15	9	4	—	6	—	—	17	25	—	—	17	25
Agents, Commission	8	8	23	18	—	8	—	—	31	34	5	11	36	45
Companies	12	12	22	17	—	—	—	—	34	29	2	7	36	36
Lawyers	10	10	18	15	—	5	—	—	28	30	2	3	30	33
Other professions	6	11	11	4	—	5	—	—	17	20	12	4	29	24
Unoccupied	4	—	15	—	—	—	—	—	19	—	1	—	20	—
Totals	53	60	122	85	—	39	—	—	175	184	22	25	197	209
YARDS—														
Builders	11	9	13	8	6	13	11	4	41	34	1	5	42	39
Timber	10	8	6	6	4	4	4	4	24	22	3	4	27	26
Iron	4	4	7	6	2	2	—	—	13	12	—	—	13	12
Stone	—	5	5	6	2	2	—	—	7	13	—	—	7	13
Livery-stables	18	18	18	18	10	10	10	10	56	56	2	3	58	59
Totals	43	44	49	44	24	31	25	18	141	137	6	12	147	149

RETURN of SHOPS within the limits of MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS, 1863 and 1866.

	City of Adelaide.										Town of											
	Hindmarsh Ward.		Gawler Ward.		Grey Ward.		Robe Ward.		Total.		Kensington and Norwood.		Port Adelaide		Glenelg.		Gawler.		Brighton.		Kapunda.	
	1863.	1866.	1863.	1866.	1863.	1866.	1863.	1866.	1863.	1866.	1863.	1866.	1863.	1866.	1863.	1866.	1863.	1866.	1866.		1866.	
SHOPS—																						
Bakers	14	14	15	13	16	15	7	8	52	50	5	8	5	5	2	4	5	5	1		4	
Blacksmiths	11	5	21	11	9	13	3	4	43	33	2	5	10	6	—	2	6	6	1		4	
Booksellers and Stationers	13	12	4	6	—	1	—	—	17	19	—	—	2	2	—	—	2	2	—		—	
Boarding-houses	6	8	1	2	5	6	4	4	16	20	5	2	10	12	3	5	1	3	1		4	
Butchers	16	12	16	12	13	19	8	7	53	50	8	8	4	4	2	4	4	4	1		6	
Cabinetmakers	23	24	12	15	8	5	2	—	45	44	—	2	3	4	—	—	3	5	—		2	
Carpenters	10	10	8	13	10	9	9	8	37	40	7	5	2	3	—	4	7	8	1		4	
Chemist and Druggists	7	7	5	6	1	1	1	2	14	16	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	2	—		3	
Confectioners	2	7	4	6	—	—	2	—	8	13	—	—	2	3	—	—	5	2	—		—	
Coopers	4	5	4	4	1	3	—	—	9	12	—	—	1	1	—	—	1	1	—		2	
Corn Chandlers	3	3	2	3	1	1	3	3	9	10	—	—	—	4	—	—	5	5	—		3	
Drapers	27	31	15	12	9	15	3	5	54	63	2	3	4	4	1	2	9	8	—		2	
Dairymen	6	6	9	9	20	18	13	14	48	47	4	7	—	—	2	2	7	4	—		—	
Eating-houses and Cafés	5	5	15	10	—	8	—	—	20	23	1	—	2	—	1	1	1	3	—		1	
Fishmongers	—	—	6	6	5	4	1	—	12	10	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	2	—		—	
Greengrocers and Fruiterers	26	26	24	33	20	3	11	13	81	75	3	1	3	5	—	—	10	6	—		4	
Grocers and General Dealers	36	38	46	41	36	50	11	20	129	149	12	19	8	13	4	5	15	12	2		9	
Grindery Shops	1	1	2	2	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—		—	
Glass and China	4	2	3	2	—	—	1	1	8	5	—	—	2	—	—	—	4	6	—		—	
Gunsmiths	—	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	
Hair-dressers	5	4	5	5	—	—	1	—	11	9	—	—	2	2	—	—	1	1	—		1	
Ironmongers	10	9	9	9	—	—	2	2	21	20	1	—	2	2	—	—	2	5	—		2	
Jewellers, &c.	6	10	8	7	—	—	—	—	14	17	—	—	2	2	—	—	2	2	—		3	
Lithographer	2	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	
Laundries	1	1	4	4	2	2	5	5	12	12	2	—	—	—	2	3	—	—	1		—	
Milliners	11	7	12	20	2	6	5	3	30	36	3	3	2	2	—	—	4	4	—		—	
Opticians	3	3	3	3	—	—	—	—	6	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		—	
Pawnbrokers	1	2	2	2	—	—	—	—	3	4	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—		—	
Painters and Glaziers	4	8	12	12	2	7	5	5	23	32	2	4	2	2	—	2	3	3	—		3	
Printers	2	4	4	6	—	—	—	—	6	10	—	—	1	1	—	—	1	1	—		1	
Photographers	8	4	6	3	—	—	2	1	16	8	1	1	1	1	—	—	2	2	—		2	
Saddlers	10	10	11	12	—	7	1	2	22	31	—	—	2	1	—	—	3	4	—		2	
Shoemakers	17	20	25	30	7	15	14	15	63	80	7	7	10	10	2	2	5	4	1		8	
Tailors	10	11	12	11	2	17	1	2	25	41	1	1	3	3	—	—	2	4	—		2	
Tent and Sail-makers	1	2	4	1	—	1	—	—	5	4	—	—	1	5	—	—	—	—	—		—	
Tobacconists	4	4	2	3	—	—	—	—	6	7	—	—	1	3	—	—	—	—	—		—	
Toy-shops	6	6	6	4	—	—	1	1	13	11	2	2	—	—	—	—	3	2	—		2	
Turners	4	4	5	4	1	1	1	1	11	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—		—	
Wheelwrights	3	3	9	4	5	10	2	2	19	19	2	2	1	1	—	—	6	6	1		4	
Zinc and Tin shops	7	9	8	8	1	5	2	2	18	24	2	2	1	3	—	—	2	1	—		1	
Unenumerated	7	13	12	20	1	8	—	—	20	41	1	2	—	—	—	—	1	2	—		—	
Unoccupied	8	1	9	4	2	3	10	1	29	9	3	5	3	3	—	—	3	3	2		2	
Totals	344	354	383	380	179	253	131	131	1,036	1,118	77	90	97	111	20	37	131	129	12		81	

NOTE.—From the general nature of the trade carried on in some premises, a return of the above description can only be an approximate one.

MILITARY FORCES.

IMPERIAL TROOPS.

EFFECTIVE STATE, ADELAIDE, SOUTH AUSTRALIA, 31st DECEMBER, 1866.

Distribution.	Field Officers.	Captains.	Subalterns.	Staff.	Sergeants.	Corporals.	Drummers.	Privates.
DETACHMENT 2ND BATAL. 14TH REGIMENT OF FOOT—								
Present and fit for duty	—	2	3	1	6	8	4	136
Sick in Hospital.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
In civil prison	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5
Outpost at Dry Creek	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	12
Army Hospital Corps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Barrack Department.....	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Commissariat.....	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Total in South Australia..	—	2	3	2	8	8	4	161

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN VOLUNTEER MILITARY FORCE.

RETURN of the NUMBER of VOLUNTEERS on the 31st day of DECEMBER, 1866.

Description of Force.	Colonels.	Lieutenants.	Drill Instructors.	Lieutenant-Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	Lieutenants.	Cornets.	Ensigns.	Surgeons.	Veterinary Surgeons.	Sergeant-Majors.	Troop Sergeant-Majors.	Sergeants.	Corporals.	Band.	Buglers	Troopers, Gunners, or Privates.	Total of all Ranks.
STAFF	1	1	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN REGIMENT OF VOLUNTEER CAVALRY	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
No. 1 (Goolwa) Troop	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	1	1	2	—	—	33	40
No. 2 (Milang and Strathalbyn) Troop	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	1	1	—	1	1	2	—	—	36	45
No. 3 (Robe) ditto.....	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	1	—	—	1	1	2	—	—	27	35
No. 4 (Adelaide) ditto	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	32	38
ARTILLERY—																			
No. 1 (Adelaide) Company..	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	4	4	—	—	61	73
No. 2 (Port Adelaide) ditto.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	40	40
THE ADELAIDE REGIMENT OF VOLUNTEER RIFLES	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	18	—	—	24
No. 1 (West Adelaide) Company	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	—	1	68	75
No. 2 (Scotch) Company ..	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	3	2	—	—	70	78
No. 3 (Kapunda) ditto	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	3	3	—	—	64	74
No. 4 (South Adelaide) ditto	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	—	66	75
No. 5 (Gawler) ditto	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	70	73
No. 6 (North Adelaide) ditto	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	56	57
No. 7 (Sea Coast) ditto....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16	16
No. 8 (Hindmarsh) ditto ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	8
No. 9 (Port) ditto	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2
THE NAVAL BRIGADE—																			
No. 1 (Port Adelaide) Company	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	10
RESERVE FORCE—																			
No. 1 (Adelaide) Company.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3
No. 2 (Strathalbyn) ditto ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	18
No. 3 (Sea Coast) ditto....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	9
Totals	1	1	4	1	3	10	10	4	4	6	2	2	4	19	21	18	1	689	800

J. H. BIGGS, Colonel Commanding Reserve and Volunteer Military Forces.

MILLS.

RETURN of the NUMBER of FLOUR MILLS in the PROVINCE, 1865 and 1866.

District where situate.	Steam.						Water.			
	Number.		Pairs of Stones.		Horse Power.		Number		Pairs of Stones.	
	1865.	1866.	1865.	1866.	1865.	1866.	1865.	1866.	1865.	1866.
City of Adelaide—										
Hindmarsh Ward	1	1	10	10	60	60	—	—	—	—
Gawler Ward*	2	2	10	10	22	22	—	—	—	—
Grey Ward	3	3	15	15	76	76	—	—	—	—
Town of—										
Port Adelaide	1	2	8	16	60	100	—	—	—	—
Gawler	2	2	12	12	50	50	—	—	—	—
District Councils—										
Aldinga	2	2	11	11	56	62	—	—	—	—
Angaston	2	2	4	5	30	30	—	—	—	—
Barossa West †	2	2	6	6	30	50	—	—	—	—
Bremer	1	1	2	2	10	10	—	—	—	—
Brighton	1	1	3	3	22	28	—	—	—	—
Clare	4	3	8	7	38	31	—	—	—	—
Crafers ‖	1	2	3	7	12	32	—	1	—	5
Echunga ‡	2	1	10	1	50	10	1	1	3	1
Encounter Bay	1	1	2	2	10	10	—	—	—	—
Hindmarsh *	2	2	8	8	65	65	—	—	—	—
Kondoparinga	1	1	2	2	6	10	—	—	—	—
Macclesfield	1	—	2	—	4	—	1	1	2	2
Mitcham	2	—	5	—	23	—	—	—	—	—
Morphett Vale	1	1	3	3	16	16	—	—	—	—
Mount Barker	2	2	6	6	20	20	—	—	—	—
Mount Gambier West	2	2	4	6	22	32	—	—	—	—
Munno Para East †	1	1	4	4	16	16	—	—	—	—
Munno Para West	1	1	2	2	12	12	—	—	—	—
Nairne	2	2	5	5	24	24	—	—	—	—
Noarlunga	2	2	4	4	28	34	—	—	—	—
Onkaparinga	3	3	7	7	26	26	—	—	—	—
Para Wirra	1	1	4	4	37	37	—	—	—	—
Payneham	1	1	4	4	18	18	—	—	—	—
Port Elliot and Goolwa	5	3	10	7	64	34	—	—	—	—
Port Gawler	1	1	2	2	14	14	—	—	—	—
Rhynie	—	1	—	2	—	40	—	—	—	—
Rapid Bay	1	1	2	2	8	10	—	—	—	—
South Rhine	—	1	—	4	—	18	—	—	—	—
Stockport	1	1	2	2	12	12	—	—	—	—
Strathalbyn	2	2	4	4	24	30	—	—	—	—
Talunga	4	3	10	8	44	42	—	—	—	—
Tanunda	1	1	2	2	16	16	—	—	—	—
Teatree Gully	1	1	1	1	8	8	—	—	—	—
Torrens, West	1	—	2	—	6	—	—	—	—	—
Wakefield, Upper	2	1	4	2	28	12	—	—	—	—
Yankalilla	2	2	7	7	30	47	—	—	—	—
Hundred of—										
Gilbert	2	2	4	4	22	22	—	—	—	—
Kapunda	1	1	3	3	20	20	—	—	—	—
Nuriootpa	3	4	7	8	46	46	—	—	—	—
Saddleworth	—	1	—	1	—	8	—	—	—	—
Waterloo	1	1	2	2	12	12	—	—	—	—
MacDonnell	1	1	2	2	12	12	—	—	—	—
Totals	76	72	228	225	1,209	1,284	2	3	5	8

* One mill, also wind. † Two mills, also water power. ‡ One wind. ‖ One, also water power.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the NUMBER of FLOUR MILLS in the PROVINCE.

Year.	Steam.			Wind.		Water.		Total	
	Number.	Pairs of Stones.	Horse Power.	Number.	Pairs of Stones.	Number.	Pairs of Stones.	Number.	Pairs of Stones.
1857	66	164	826	1	2	3	6	70	172
1858	69	171	814	—*	—	2†	4	71	175
1859	73	191	969	—*	—	2†	4	75	195
1860	76	205	1,078	—*	—	2†	3	78	208
1861	74	208	1,113	—*	—	2†	5	76	213
1862	73	217	1,137	2*	3	2†	5	77	225
1863	73	215	1,142	2*	3	2†	5	77	223
1864	71	216	1,140	2*	3	2†	5	75	224
1865	76	228	1,209	2*	3	2†	5	80	236
1866	72	225	1,284	2*	3	3†	8	77	236

* One mill, wind and steam, returned under steam. † Three mills, water and steam, additional, returned under steam.

J. BOOTHBY, Government Statist.

MINES.

RETURN of REPUTED MINES in the PROVINCE at the close of the YEAR 1866.

Name of Mine or Locality.	Description.	Distance in a direct line from Adelaide.	Bearings.
Adelaide	Copper and Gold	9	E. by N.
Bon Accord	Copper	90	N. by E.
* Bremer Mines (Worthing Mining Company)	"	25	E.
* Burra Burra	"	90	N. by E.
* Blinman (Yudanamutana Mining Company)	"	262	N.
Campbell's Creek	Silver Lead	54	S. S. W. ½ W.
* Euko	Copper	85	N. W
* Daly and Stanley	Copper and Bismuth	328	N. ½ E.
Dominick	Copper	328	N. ½ E.
* Glen Osmond	Silver Lead	4	S. E.
* Kanmantoo	Copper	25	E. S. E.
* Kanmantoo West	"	25	E. S. E.
Kanyaka	"	194	N. ½ W.
* Kapunda (North)	"	50	N. N. E.
* Kapunda (South)	"	49	N. N. E.
* Karkarilla	"	85	N. W.
* Karkulto	"	74	N. by E.
Kirwan	"	202	N.
* Kanappa	"	37	E. N. E.
* Matta Matta	"	85	N. W. by N.
* Moonta	"	85	N. W.
Mount Chambers (Great Northern Mining Company)	"	275	N. ½ E.
Mount Deception (Great Northern Mining Company)	"	285	N. ½ W.
Mount Emily	"	255	N.
* Mount Lily	Cobalt	10	E. by N.
Mount McKinlay (Great Northern Mining Company)	Copper	295	N. ½ W.
Mount Rose	"	310	N.
Mount Samuel (Great Northern Mining Company)	"	267	N.
* Murninnie	Copper and Bismuth	144	N. W. by N.
Napoleon	Copper	200	N.
* New Cornwall	"	85	N. W. by N.
North Rhine	"	40	N. E.
* Nuccaleena (Great Northern Mining Company)	"	270	N.
Ooraldana	"	320	N. ½ E.
* Poona	"	85	N. W.
* Preamimma	"	29	E. S. E.
* Paramatta	"	85	N. W.
* Spring Creek	"	152	N. by W.
Strathalbyn	Copper and Lead	26	S. E. by E.
* Talisker	Silver Lead	54	S. S. W. ½ W.
Two Brothers (Great Northern Mining Company)	Copper	271	N.
* Wallaroo Mines (Captain Hughes's)	"	85	N. W. by N.
Welcome	"	320	N. ½ E.
* Wheal James	"	85	N. W.
* Wheal Hughes	"	85	N. W.
* Wheal Coglin	Silver Lead	48	S. W. by S. ½ S.
* Wheal Ellen	"	28	S. E. by E.
* Wilkawat	Copper	85	N. W.
Wirrawilka	"	209	N.
* Wonga Wonga	"	25	E. S. E.
Wyaka	"	210	N.
* Windiddie	"	160	W. N. W.
* Yelta	"	85	N. W.
* Yudanamutana	"	325	N. ½ E.
* Yorke's Peninsula Mining Company	"	85	N. W. by N.

* In work during 1866.

N.B.—Besides the above-named Mines there are about 100 applications for Mineral Leases.

G. W. GOYDER, Inspector of Mines.

POSTAL.

DECENNIAL RETURN showing the TOTAL NUMBER of LETTERS and NEWSPAPERS passing through the POST.

Years.	Number of Post Offices.	Number of persons employed.	Length in miles of Mail Routes.	Number of miles travelled by mails in year.	Letters.		Newspapers.		Total.		Income.	Expenditure
					Ship.	Inland.	Ship.	Inland.	Letters.	Newspapers.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1857.....	110	139	1,247¼	—	299,618	634,932	307,975	541,971	934,550	849,946	10,353 18 4	*17,984 18 0
1858.....	126	155	1,559¼	—	321,455	782,996	325,236	591,412	1,104,451	916,648	12,688 19 4	15,704 10 8
1859.....	130	159	1,586¼	—	337,949	918,684	349,764	665,542	1,256,633	1,015,306	13,779 7 6	17,047 10 1
1860.....	146	177	1,837	—	365,190	995,151	360,686	691,391	1,360,341	1,052,077	14,582 8 9	18,024 19 7
1861.....	160	193	2,295	478,426	360,806	1,179,666	376,892	712,532	1,540,472	1,089,424	16,496 2 4	16,433 16 4
1862.....	177	225	2,571	553,890	347,253	1,292,900	414,126	721,897	1,640,153	1,136,023	17,448 18 11	18,582 2 6
1863.....	189	246	2,882	657,772	392,139	1,425,240	463,829	791,064	1,817,379	1,254,893	19,019 12 0	19,694 4 6
1864.....	205	268	3,053	733,526	449,724	1,739,750	490,696	967,218	2,189,474	1,457,914	22,001 6 4	21,485 2 7
1865.....	221	290	3,337½	790,155	473,451	1,970,756	562,947	1,197,468	2,444,207	1,760,415	25,023 2 5	23,417 10 4
1866.....	226	299	3,797½	809,160	524,226	2,178,879	631,616	1,336,504	2,703,105	1,968,120	27,987 8 5	27,062 7 5

* Owing to a change in the system of accounts at the Treasury, this amount includes thirteen months' salaries, and five quarters' payments on account of contracts, &c.

J. W. LEWIS, Postmaster-General.

POPULATION.

ANALYSIS of the POPULATION of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, for the YEARS 1844, 1846, 1851, 1855, 1861, and 1866.

Dates on which the Census was taken.	Number of each Age.														Married or Single.				Totals.		
	Males.							Females.							Males.		Females.				
	Under two years of age.	Two and under seven.	Seven and under fourteen.	Fourteen and under twenty-one.	Twenty-one and under forty-five.	Forty-five and under sixty.	Sixty and upwards.	Under two years of age.	Two and under seven.	Seven and under fourteen.	Fourteen and under twenty-one.	Twenty-one and under forty-five.	Forty-five and under sixty.	Sixty and upwards.	Married.	Single.	Married.	Single.	Males.	Females.	General Total.
1844, February 26 ...	890	1459	1322	922	4432	457	44	834	1434	1241	866	2996	281	18	3026	6500	3032	4638	9526	7670	17366
1846, February 26 ...	1019	2143	1606	1088	6111	629	74	953	2101	1460	981	3696	410	49	3847	8823	3811	5839	12670	9650	22390
1851, January 1	2151	4734	4778	3847	17106	2293	400	2231	4592	4472	3945	10707	1526	257	10664	24638	10842	16895	35302	27737	63700
1855, March 31	3081	6689	6984	4903	17855	3496	712	3230	6682	6798	6024	15591	2620	524	15038	28682	15795	25674	43720	41469	85821*
1861, April 8.....	4861	11565	10143	7736	30,637			4929	11255	10202	8219	27,075			21606	43442	21880	39902	65048†	61782†	126830
1866, March 26	6021	13844	14518	10133	40,818			5969	13708	14364	10162	33,915			29315	56019	30327	47791	85334	78118	163452

* In this total are included 632 persons not classified in the preceding columns—that number having been added for omissions and persons travelling.
† Including unspecified as to age.

ABSTRACT showing the ESTIMATED POPULATION of SOUTH AUSTRALIA on the 31st DECEMBER, 1866.

	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Population enumerated by Census on the 26th March, 1866 (corrected)	85,334	78,118	163,452
Increase by excess of immigration over emigration (by sea) from above date to 31st December, 1866...	1,278	1,057	2,335
Increase by excess of births over deaths during the same period	1,660	1,706	3,366
Total population on 31st December, 1866	88,272	80,881	169,153
Increase since date of Census...(nine months)	2,938	2,763	5,701

NOTE.—The increase of population during the *whole* year amounted to 6,849 persons—3,434 males and 3,415 females; the natural increase having been 4,029 persons—1,933 males and 2,096 females; and the balance of arrivals over departures 2,820 persons—1,501 males and 1,319 females. The addition to the population from all sources during 1866 was therefore less by 2,415 persons than in 1865.

J. BOOTHBY, Government Statist.

PRODUCE, PROVISIONS, &c.

DECENNIAL RETURN of AVERAGE PRICE of FARM PRODUCE at ADELAIDE.

Years.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Potatoes.	Hay.	Butter, Fresh.	Cheese.
	Per Bushel.	Per Bushel.	Per Bushel.	Per Ton.	Per Ton.	Per Pound.	Per Pound.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1857	7 0	6 3	8 0	12 5 0	5 7 6	1 6	0 8
1858	6 7¾	5 11¼	5 9	11 13 7	3 10 0	1 11	0 10
1859	9 0	4 9	5 0	8 16 8	3 12 6	2 1	0 10
1860	7 2	6 8	4 1½	8 15 0	4 0 0	1 6	0 9¼
1861	5 8	4 0	4 6	6 1 0	3 0 0	0 11	0 6
1862	4 8	4 0	4 0	8 0 0	3 0 0	1 0	0 6
1863	4 10	4 6	5 0	10 0 0	3 10 0	1 0	0 9
1864	8 6	5 6	5 6	7 5 0	3 15 0	1 0	0 9
1865	8 7	5 6	5 0	8 0 0	7 10 0	1 8	0 9
1866	6 2	5 6	6 5	7 16 0	6 10 0	2 1	1 2

DECENNIAL RETURN of PRICES paid for BREAD and FRESH MEAT by the COMMISSARIAT at ADELAIDE.

Years.	Bread.	Fresh Meat.
1857	2d., 1½d., 2d., and 2¼d. per lb.	2½d. and 4d. per lb.
1858	1⅞d., 2¼d., and 2d. per lb.	3½d. and 4½d. per lb.
1859	2d., 1⅞d., 2⅛d., 2½d., and 2d. per lb.	4½d., 3½d., 3¾d., and 3d. per lb.
1860	2½d., 1⅞d., 2¼d., and 1⅝d., per lb.	3d. and 4d. per lb.
1861	1⅝d., 1⅞d., and 1⅜d per lb.	4d., 3d., and 2d. per lb.
1862	1⅜d. and 1⅝d. per lb.	3d. and 2d. per lb.
1863	1¼d. per lb	2½d. and 3d. per lb.
1864	2½d. per lb.	4d. per lb.
1865	3d. per lb.	8d. per lb.
1866	1½d. per lb.	3d. per lb.

APPROXIMATE RETURN of the AVERAGE PRICES of various PRODUCE, MERCHANDIZE, &c., during the YEARS 1861 to 1866.

Articles.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.
Wheaten Flour .. .. per ton of 2,000lbs.	£14	£11 14s.	£12	£20 10s.	£20 12s.	£15 7s.
Wheat .. .. .. per bushel of 60lbs.	5s. 8d.	4s. 8d.	4s. 10d.	8s. 6d.	8s. 7d.	6s. 2d.
Wheaten Bread .. .. per lb.	1¾d.	1¾d.	1¾d.	2½d.	2½d.	2d.
Horned Cattle (working bullocks) .. each	£5	£5	£5	£5 10s.	£8 10s.	£10
Horses (saddle and light cart) .. .. "	£10 to £30	£10 to £25	£10 to £25	£10 to £25	£10 to £30	£10 to £25
Sheep, fat .. .. "	12s. to 18s.	10s. to 16s.	12s. to 18s.	12s. to 21s.	16s. to 28s.	16s. to 28s.
Bacon .. .. per lb.	11d.	10d.	10d.	10d.	1s. 3d.	1s. 3d.
Milk .. .. per quart	5d.	4d.	4d.	4d.	5d.	5d.
Butter, fresh .. .. per lb.	11d.	1s.	1s.	1s.	1s. 8d.	2s. 1d.
" salt .. .. "	9d.	10d.	10d.	9d.	1s.	1s. 8d.
Cheese { Colonial .. .. .. "	8d.	8d.	9d.	10d.	9d.	1s. 2d.
Cheese { English .. .. .. "	1s. 7d.	1s. 6d.	1s. 8d.	1s. 8d.	1s. 8d.	1s. 10d.
Beef .. .. "	4½d.	4½d.	4¾d.	5d.	7½d.	7¼d.
Mutton .. .. "	4¾d.	4¾d.	4½d.	4½d.	6¾d.	6¾d.
Pork .. .. "	9d.	9d.	8½d.	8½d.	9¼d.	11¼d.
Rice .. .. "	3d.	3d.	3d.	3d.	3d.	3d.
Coffee .. .. "	1s. 6d.	1s. 6d.	1s. 6d.	1s. 6d.	1s. 6d.	1s. 6d.
Tea .. .. "	2s. 9d.	2s. 9d.	2s. 9d.	2s. 9d.	2s. 9d.	2s. 9d.
Sugar .. .. "	5d.	5d.	5d.	5d.	5d.	5d.
Salt .. .. "	1½d.	1½d.	1½d.	1½d.	1½d.	1½d.
Wine { Port .. .. .. per pipe	£60	£60	£60	£60	£60	£60
Wine { Sherry .. .. .. per butt	£56	£55	£55	£55	£55	£55
Wine { Colonial .. .. .. per gallon	3s. to 10s.	3s. to 10s.	3s. to 10s.	3s. to 10s.	2s. 6d. to 10s.	2s. 6d. to 10s.
Brandy .. .. "	£1 1s.	£1 2s.	£1 2s.	£1 2s.	£1 2s.	£1 2s.
Beer { Porter .. .. .. per hogshead	£7	£6 15s.	£7	£7 10s.	£7 10s.	£7 10s.
Beer { Ale .. .. .. "	£8	£7 10s.	£7 10s.	£8	£8	£7 10s.
Tobacco .. .. per lb.	4s.	6s. 6d.	6s.	5s.	4s.	4s.

PUBLIC WORSHIP.

RETURN of the NUMBER of PLACES of WORSHIP in connexion with the various RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS in SOUTH AUSTRALIA, during the YEARS 1864, 1865, and 1866.

Denomination.	Number of Churches or Chapels.			Number of Sittings in such Churches or Chapels.			Number of Rooms and other Buildings, used for Public Worship.			Number of Sittings in such Rooms, &c.		
	1864.	1865.	1866.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1864.	1865.	1866.
Church of England	53	56	57	10,509	11,395	11,721	34	‡24	‡16	1,615	900	460
Ditto Scotland	4	—	2	850	—	300	—	—	—	—	—	—
Roman Catholics	*23	*23	*23	6,400	6,400	6,400	5	5	5	480	480	480
Congregationalists or Independents	32	33	33	8,212	8,272	8,392	10	11	9	760	540	436
Baptists	21	22	23	3,300	3,500	3,900	5	6	6	500	570	570
Wesleyan Methodists	114	120	126	18,938	20,468	22,168	45	38	37	1,100	900	860
German Lutherans	31	31	33	5,463	5,463	6,500	8	8	9	750	750	950
Bible Christians	64	66	73	9,400	10,000	12,100	20	23	19	656	700	580
Primitive Methodists	74	76	83	9,500	9,800	12,000	40	38	30	1,000	850	700
Methodist New Connexion	1	1	1	545	545	545	—	1	2	—	70	85
Free Church of Scotland	13	—	—	2,388	—	—	6	—	—	240	—	—
Free Presbyterian	4	—	3	690	—	500	6	—	3	460	—	200
Presbyterian Church of South Australia	—	12	14	—	4,500	3,840	—	17	15	—	587	880
Unitarians	1	1	1	270	270	290	—	1	1	—	100	100
Moravians	1	1	1	200	200	200	—	—	—	—	—	—
Friends, Society of	2	2	2	200	220	200	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Jerusalem Church	1	1	1	70	70	70	—	—	—	—	—	—
Christians (Brethren, Disciples, &c.)	15	15	15	2,540	2,620	2,570	1	1	1	60	60	60
Hebrews	1	1	1	120	120	120	—	—	—	—	—	—
Totals	455	461	492	79,595	83,843	91,816	180	173	153	7,621	6,507	6,361

*No return having been furnished, although repeatedly applied for, the numbers of the previous years are given.
‡ Many stations in the north deserted on account of the drought.

DECENNIAL RETURN of SUNDAY SCHOOLS in the PROVINCE of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Year.	Number of Sunday Schools.	Average number of					
		Teachers.			Scholars.		
		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
1857	192	—	—	—	5,203	5,373	10,576
1858	210	—	—	—	5,904	6,078	11,982
1859	255	1,031	1,092	2,123	7,683	7,892	15,575
1860	283	1,115	1,182	2,297	7,801	8,518	16,319
1861	318	1,257	1,279	2,536	9,086	9,241	18,327
1862	359	1,348	1,492	2,840	10,035	10,670	20,705
1863	360	1,532	1,485	3,017	10,639	11,160	21,799
1864	382	1,652	1,602	3,254	11,365	11,722	23,087
1865	384	1,738	1,746	3,484	11,676	12,063	23,739
1866	398	1,873	1,934	3,807	12,829	13,085	25,914

In 1859, and following years, the returns of the several Denominations were for the most part compiled by their respective heads, and furnished to this office in aggregate; whereas, in former years, the tables were prepared in this office from the returns of individual ministers of the several religious bodies. The increase in the numbers given in 1859 may be partly attributable to the greater accuracy secured by adopting the new method of obtaining the information.

J. BOOTHBY, Government Statist.

RAILWAYS.

RETURN showing the AMOUNT of TRAFFIC and RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the SOUTH AUSTRALIAN RAILWAYS during the YEARS 1860 to 1866.

Year.	Name of Line.	Length of Line.		Revenue.											Number of miles train ran.	Expenditure.				
				Passenger Traffic.						Goods Traffic.			Other Receipts.	Total Revenue.		Salaries—Management.	Locomotive Department—Wages, Fuel, &c.	Maintenance of Lines.	Other Working Expenses.	Total.
		Constructing.	Opened.	Number of Passengers.	Average distance travelled.	Passengers for one mile.	Receipts. Total.	Per passenger.	Per passenger, per mile.	Number of Tons.	Net Receipts, Total.	Per ton, per mile.								
		Miles.	Miles.		Miles.		£ s. d.				£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1860	Port Line	—	7½	239,458	5·52	1,332,171	10,386 4 2	10·41d.	1·88d.	50,173¾	3,444 18 3	2·13d.	958 4 2	14,689 6 7	31,380	809 13 0	4,416 8 8	3,547 13 0	6,384 4 5	15,157 19 1
	Ditto, off North Line	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	36,721¾	2,448 2 0	2·13d.	—	2,448 2 0	—	—	—	—	—	—
	North Line	—	48½	64,025	20·27	1,298,242	12,473 2 9	3s 10·75d.	2·30d.	55,958	24,877 16 2	—	1,100 11 11	38,451 10 10	74,553	809 13 0	10,213 7 5	9,457 6 4	7,998 9 10	28,478 16 7
	Total	—	56	303,483		2,630,413	22,859 6 11			142,853½	30,670 16 5		2,058 16 1	55,588 19 5		1,619 6 0	14,629 16 1	13,004 19 4	14,382 14 3	43,636 15 8
1861	Port Line	—	7½	234,761	5·52	1,296,128	9,980 6 4	10·20d.	1·85d.	61,320½	4,088 0 11	2·13d.	1,116 10 9	15,184 18 0	31,380	733 0 0	3,837 16 2	2,791 0 3	6,637 13 5	13,999 9 10
	Ditto, off North Line	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	49,599	3,306 11 11	2·13d.	—	3,306 11 11	—	—	—	—	—	—
	North Line	—	48½	71,379	24·08	1,718,577	15,188 4 6	4s. 3·07d.	2·12d.	77,342¾	37,373 6 4	3·89d.	1,150 3 11	53,711 14 9	97,736	733 0 0	13,380 6 1	15,294 4 0	17,609 14 5	47,017 4 6
	Total	—	56	306,140		3,015,705	25,168 10 10			187,762¼	44,767 19 2		2,266 14 8	72,203 4 8		1,466 0 0	17,218 2 3	18,085 4 3	24,247 7 10	61,016 14 4
1862	Port Line	—	7½	224,733	5·54	1,246,139	9,719 6 7	10·38d.	1·87d.	63,056¼	Gross. 15,930 19 0	8·08d.	1,776 2 3	27,426 7 10	31,200	779 17 9	4,451 7 3	4,478 9 7	17,245 10 9	26,955 5 4
	Ditto, off North Line	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	53,885	3,592 6 11	2·13d.	—	3,592 6 11	—	—	—	—	—	—
	North Line*	—	48½	65,575	24·65	1,616,948	15,019 1 1	4s. 6·97d.	2·23d.	80,306	45,810 13 3	4·87d.	2,706 15 0	63,536 9 4	98,384	779 17 10	14,785 15 5	12,283 12 2	24,601 0 3	52,450 5 8
	Total	—	56	289,308		2,863,087	24,738 7 8			197,247¼	65,333 19 2		4,482 17 3	94,555 4 1		1,559 15 7	19,237 2 8	16,762 1 9	41,846 11 0	79,405 11 0
1863	Port Line	—	7½	242,490	5·36	1,300,048	10,224 15 3	10·12d.	1·89d.	62,830¾	Gross. 15,863 10 4	8·10d.	1,132 12 7	27,220 18 2	31,200	800 0 0	4,305 6 9	4,042 2 6	16,787 10 4	25,934 19 7
	Ditto, off North Line	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	54,935	3,662 6 11	2·13d.	—	3,662 6 11	—	—	—	—	—	—
	North Line	—	48¼	67,408	25·72	1,734,060	15,563 17 4	4s. 7·41d.	2·15d.	83,065	49,665 13 2	5·06d.	1,143 19 5	66,373 9 11	99,000	800 0 0	14,048 3 8	13,091 10 0	25,601 10 2	53,541 3 10
	Total	—	56	309,898		3,034,108	25,788 12 7			200,830¾	69,191 10 5		2,276 12 0	97,256 15 0		1,600 0 0	18,353 10 5	17,133 12 6	42,389 0 6	79,476 3 5
1864	Port Line	—	7½	271,985	5·64	1,533,987	11,796 16 4	10·40d.	1·84d.	69,677	Gross. 17,631 11 1	8·10d.	1,061 5 5	30,489 12 10	31,290	770 2 11	4,821 16 8	7,122 2 11	20,679 13 6	33,393 16 0
	Ditto, off North Line	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	75,816	5,054 8 2	2·10d.	—	5,054 8 2	—	—	—	—	—	—
	North Line	—	48½	87,050	26·47	2,303,862	20,477 13 5	4s. 8·46d.	2·13d.	110,435	71,719 1 9	4·10d.	1,506 3 3	93,702 18 5	96,127	770 3 0	14,544 17 8	15,235 17 11	35,648 9 6	66,199 8 1
	Total	—	56	359,035		3,837,849	32,274 9 9			255,928	94,405 1 0		2,567 8 8	129,246 19 5		1,540 5 11	19,366 14 4	22,358 0 10	56,328 3 0	99,593 4 1
1865	Port Line	—	7½	299,299	5·76	1,726,555	13,061 18 11	10·47d.	1·82d.	81,794	Gross. 20,573 3 8	8·05d.	1,207 6 4	34,842 8 11	31,290	687 14 3	4,675 6 5	5,246 16 4	22,819 2 7	33,428 19 7
	Ditto, off North Line	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	72,404	4,615 14 1	2·11d.	—	4,615 14 1	—	—	—	—	—	—
	North Line	—	48½	103,251	25·99	2,683,892	23,954 4 11	4s. 7·66d.	2·14d.	106,985	68,385 18 3	4·54d.	1,482 6 10	93,822 10 0	96,127	687 14 5	14,148 8 8	17,088 1 2	49,116 3 0	81,040 7 3
	Total	—	56	402,550		4,410,447	37,016 3 10			261,183	93,574 16 0		2,689 13 2	133,280 13 0		1,375 8 8	18,823 15 1	22,334 17 6	71,935 5 7	114,469 6 10
1866	Port Line	—	7½	305,008	5·68	1,734,819	12,954 16 3	10·19d.	1·79d.	73,094	Gross. 18,380 12 11	8·05d.	1,256 14 0	32,592 3 2	32,830	867 10 0	3,894 19 7	6,313 8 7	21,764 16 9	32,840 14 11
	Ditto, off North Line	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	47,313	3,154 2 10	2·13d.	—	3,154 2 10	—	—	—	—	—	—
	North Line	—	48½	100,494	26·06	2,619,208	23,228 5 3	55·49d.	2·12d.	88,577	53,712 17 8	4·62d.	1,444 0 5	78,385 3 4	96,127	867 10 0	12,256 14 4	17,847 13 0	40,158 5 6	71,139 2 10
	Total	—	56	405,502		4,354,027	36,183 1 6			208,984	75,247 13 5		2,700 14 5	114,131 9 4		1,735 0 0	16,150 13 11	24,161 1 7	61,923 2 3	103,979 17 9

* Open to Kapunda Terminus for Goods Traffic in April, and for Passengers in August.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

DECENNIAL RETURN, showing the GENERAL REVENUE of the LOCAL GOVERNMENT of the PROVINCE of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Heads of Receipt.	1857.	1858.	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Sale of Crown Lands	220,984 7 0	205,065 0 0	226,719 6 0	147,631 16 8	200,443 1 4	154,392 4 6	184,414 17 9	256,672 18 0	504,677 1 10	331,285 6 6
Customs	151,667 4 11	155,284 6 4	140,943 2 2	120,535 3 1*a*	126,464 10 2	116,444 4 1	156,244 17 6*b*	203,349 14 6	240,183 12 3	230,134 0 9
Port and Harbor Dues	*c* 1,982 7 8	1,829 11 2	1,507 0 10	*d* 1,530 7 11	1,445 2 11	*e* 1,617 5 4	4,371 9 2	5,272 11 5	6,277 14 8	6,061 8 7
Rents (exclusive of Land)	1,667 1 5	1,061 0 0	1,214 13 0	1,465 11 0	1,315 16 0	1,208 7 0	1,241 1 0	1,136 5 0	1,629 3 4	1,445 11 11
Land Revenue	19,856 8 4	21,175 17 11	28,746 19 5	32,332 8 4	47,224 3 11	42,947 7 4	46,407 13 0	48,361 5 4	73,891 11 0	119,455 6 8
Assessments	—	—	*f*27,613 9 2	25,462 14 3	20,725 3 10	48,293 8 8	40,033 18 0	27,739 10 1	5,107 15 9	10,885 18 3
Licences	12,794 15 0	13,725 11 0	13,829 10 0	14,056 2 6	14,511 7 0	15,671 12 6	15,480 11 6	15,718 8 6	16,302 4 0	*f*11,459 11 0
Postages	10,353 18 4	12,688 19 4	13,779 7 6	14,582 8 9	16,496 2 4	17,448 18 11	19,019 12 0	22,001 6 4	25,023 2 5	27,987 8 5
Fines, Fees, and Forfeitures	15,299 15 11	14,978 18 6	17,635 7 9	15,671 19 8	14,972 14 7	17,390 19 8	17,565 19 10	19,622 19 2	20,461 4 3	22,966 4 0
Sales of Government Property	2,876 7 8	1,068 6 0	767 14 9	1,685 11 1	1,522 0 3	2,583 18 5	1,339 11 0	4,609 13 11	681 10 8	586 12 7
Reimbursements in aid of expenses incurred by Government	5,109 13 5	4,003 1 9	4,716 2 8	7,027 4 6	8,430 16 0	6,172 4 1	10,136 15 4	4,641 1 11	10,546 7 5	6,513 14 11
Miscellaneous Receipts	2,856 10 11	2,945 11 4	3,728 7 9	2,464 14 11	3,829 18 6	6,794 5 1	3,658 13 10	2,410 5 9	2,125 0 10	4,331 19 5
Interest, Exchange, &c.	*g* 3,816 3 7	23,390 17 7	14,253 19 10	666 0 1	1,195 13 5	674 4 3	56 1 6	2,340 10 2	7,145 2 1	26,065 5 3
Special Receipts in aid of Immigration *h*	2,600 0 0	5,421 10 0	2,400 13 11	652 1 0	613 7 4	4,063 0 0	6,339 13 2	6,312 18 5	9,298 13 7	3,183 1 0
Railways	—	*i* 2,391 16 5	*i* 6,600 15 7	*j*43,893 3 6	84,444 7 7	87,427 4 10	98,749 8 4	118,307 3 1	134,070 12 0	116,492 14 1
Port Elliot and Goolwa Tramway	*k* 2,176 15 7	1,788 16 0	1,385 0 4	1,846 7 8	1,956 15 7	2,755 8 5	2,225 1 11	2,209 12 9	3,355 0 10	4,034 0 4
Telegraphs	*k* 1,169 9 5	2,818 5 6	6,086 5 1	7,323 7 4	*k* 5,700 2 7	14,740 19 11	16,072 3 9	15,342 12 5	17,226 16 10	15,091 11 10
Water Rates, Adelaide	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9,191 15 6	—	—
Northern Territory, percentage on Land Sales	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Total Revenue	455,210 19 2	469,637 8 10	511,927 9 9	438,827 2 8	558,586 12 0	548,709 0 8	631,700 8 2	775,837 14 4	1,089,128 14 4	949,774 2 4

a Tariff reduced 22nd May, 1860.
b Tariff increased 3rd June, 1863.
c Harbor dues and tonnage dues, Port Harbor Trust, Act 20 of 1854.
d Marine Board.
e Light dues reimposed, December, 1862.
f Licence fees reduced.
g Includes premiums on bonds sold, and profits on Exchequer Bill account of Agent-General and Land and Emigration Commissioners. See Annual Statements.
h Immigrants' contributions.
i Net profit.
j From 1st June, 1860, gross receipts paid into Treasury, and expenses charged to "Establishments."
k Gross Receipts.

N.B.—In all cases the gross receipts are now debited to Revenue, and the cost of collection is charged upon "Establishments"—Expenditure side.

The "Loans for Public Works" account is kept separate from the Revenue.

DECENNIAL RETURN, showing the GENERAL EXPENDITURE of the LOCAL GOVERNMENT of the PROVINCE of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Heads of Service.	1857.	1858.	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Civil List *a*	13,403 16 7	14,252 1 8	14,583 6 8	14,800 0 0	14,800 0 0	14,800 0 0	14,800 0 0	14,800 0 0	14,800 0 0	14,800 0 0
Establishments—										
Salaries, Fixed	95,352 6 6	100,946 1 9	58,888 19 4	*b*62,465 0 3	67,377 1 4	70,420 10 11	73,468 10 6	75,161 1 0	81,356 13 4	100,561 17 9
Ditto, Provisional & Temporary	9,171 7 10	7,783 10 1	50,331 4 0	*b*58,666 2 2	80,444 1 0	80,298 5 10	82,285 9 7	84,468 8 0	102,594 14 10	114,845 14 2
Allowances	3,343 16 7	3,894 8 7	4,215 13 1	3,717 9 11	3,992 19 6	4,163 9 9	4,137 15 6	3,832 17 4	4,627 18 8	6,618 7 3
Contingencies	55,303 10 0	61,463 19 3	64,390 3 5	*b*81,818 8 3	95,601 13 10	121,325 17 1	123,608 4 8	143,567 3 10	177,811 10 0	208,821 0 9
Pensions, Retired Allowances, &c.	*c* 1,447 15 0	4,656 16 3	2,396 11 6	4,556 17 6	*d*11,329 2 1	4,330 13 6	3,556 8 3	2,609 8 4	4,319 7 11	4,783 7 5
Public Works, Buildings, and Improvements *e*	214,190 16 2	168,110 5 0	245,659 16 4	*b*128,696 11 6	104,510 19 6	134,536 14 0	135,889 8 4	136,674 19 11	223,083 1 10	402,245 17 7
Miscellaneous Services	51,904 16 4	42,800 5 2	61,588 4 8	49,155 3 3	46,805 16 0	61,608 16 7	45,389 19 11	35,702 4 3	34,421 14 0	49,527 9 1
Interest and Redemption of Loans for Public Works *f*	32,597 0 0	65,240 0 0	67,112 10 0	67,315 0 0	50,854 18 0	81,600 0 0	125,985 10 0	92,643 0 0	93,056 0 0	95,830 0 0
Interest, Exchange, &c.	97 4 7	347 5 2	13 14 0	194 0 4	1,163 17 6	1,932 5 9	1,705 12 11	379 1 5	744 11 0	1,108 1 0
Immigration	61,400 8 4	59,278 3 9	51,576 1 11	21,271 7 0	6,070 17 0	*g* 4,364 11 6	24,378 5 10	36,850 5 1	53,688 16 5	65,181 11 1
Total Expenditure	538,212 17 11	528,772 16 8	620,756 4 11	492,656 0 2	482,951 5 9	579,381 4 11	635,205 5 6	626,688 9 2	790,504 8 0	1,064,323 6 1

a Schedule A, Parts I. and II., Constitution Act.
b From 1st September, 1860, the cost of "Establishments" was increased by the Railway, Roads, Waterworks, &c., expenditure, previously under control of Boards.
c From 1857, Schedule B, Constitution Act, included; also, repayments to subscribers to Superannuation Fund, and amounts paid to Fund out of Revenue.
d Including commutation of Retiring Allowances, granted under Superannuation Act.
e Public works, buildings, and improvements. (For total expenditure, see "Works—Public.")
f Appropriations under Acts, for sinking funds of loan for Public Works (Railways, &c.).
g Government immigration resumed.

J. BOOTHBY, Government Statist.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE—*(Continued)*.

BALANCE SHEET of SOUTH AUSTRALIA on 31st DECEMBER, 1866.

Dr.	£	s.	d.
To Balance of Revenue—			
Part I. Ordinary	18,312	7	6
Part II. Primary Credits	8,804	1	10
Part II. A. Public Works Fund	53,426	2	7
Part II. B. Immigration Fund *	267,382	18	4
Part III. Public Works, &c.	55,165	9	9
" Adelaide City and Port Railway Loan, Interest and Sinking Fund	13,147	15	3
" Gawler Town Railway ditto	10,391	2	1
" First Extension ditto	3,643	16	10
" Second " ditto	1,858	1	7
" Third " ditto	666	0	0
" Port Adelaide Harbor Trust ditto	4,295	3	8
" City Waterworks & Drainage ditto	10,693	3	2
" Loan under Act 2 of 1860 ditto	3,264	0	0
" Waterworks Completion Loan, Act 19 of 1861 ditto	986	0	0
" Victor Harbor Works and Tramway ditto	384	7	3
" Port Augusta Waterworks ditto	540	5	0
" Port Adelaide Waterworks ditto	2,720	16	11
" Deposits various in the Colony	13,970	9	5
" Outstanding Claims (Deposit Account)	19,608	18	1
" Loans for Public Works	29,750	12	3
" Port Adelaide Waterworks, &c.	509	7	8
" Port Augusta Waterworks	242	19	10
Loans temporary in England from Northern Territory Funds	17,980	0	0
Northern Territory	8,125	4	11
	£545,869	3	11

Cr.	£	s.	d.
By cash balance in hands of Treasurer	356,055	14	9
" Agent-General (South Australia)	101,502	3	11
" Ditto (Northern Territory)	23,505	13	7
" Government Resident (Northern Territory)	756	6	1
" Land and Emigration Commissioners	2,022	12	6
" Advances—To be repaid	36,799	13	1
" Investments in South Australian Government Bonds	24,000	0	0
" South Australian Bank Agency London— Bonded Debt Account	1,227	0	0
	£545,869	3	11

* Note.—Of this balance £237,500 was deposited at interest in the Adelaide Banks prior to December 31, 1866; and the unexpended portion of sums remitted to the Agent-General was also yielding interest at our London Bank.—E. W. Hitchin, Under Treasurer.

Mem.—The above balances have been prepared from the accounts received up to 31st December, 1866, viz.—The Treasurer's accounts to 31st December, 1866; the Agent-General's account for South Australia, to 30th September, 1866; the South Australian Bank Agency—Bonded Debt Account, to 30th September, 1866; Land and Emigration Commissioner's account to 30th September, 1866; accounts of the Agent-General for Northern Territory to 30th September, 1866, and the Government Resident (Northern Territory) to 31st July, 1866.

W. L. O'HALLORAN, Auditor-General.

DECENNIAL RETURN, showing the TOTAL GENERAL REVENUE (distinguishing Land Fund from Ordinary Revenue) and EXPENDITURE of the LOCAL GOVERNMENT of SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Year ending 31st December.	General Revenue. Ordinary.			Land Fund.			Total.			General Expenditure, Total.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1857	211,770	3	10	243,440	15	4	455,210	19	2	538,212	17	11
1858	237,975	0	11	231,562	7	11	469,637	8	10	528,772	16	8
1859	254,060	16	5	257,866	13	4	511,927	9	9	620,756	4	11
1860	258,210	16	3	180,616	6	0	438,827	2	3	492,656	0	2
1861	300,299	19	5	258,286	12	7	558,586	12	0	482,951	5	9
1862	347,406	8	10	201,302	11	10	548,709	0	8	579,381	4	11
1863	394,538	4	3	237,162	3	11	631,700	8	2	635,205	5	6
1864	512,591	3	5	263,246	10	11	775,837	14	4	626,688	9	2
1865	584,451	12	6	504,677	1	10	1,089,128	14	4	790,504	8	0
1866	618,488	15	10	331,285	6	6	949,774	2	4	1,064,323	6	1
Total	£3,719,793	1	8	£2,709,546	10	2	£6,429,339	11	10	£6,359,451	19	1

The TREASURER of the PROVINCE of SOUTH AUSTRALIA in ACCOUNT with LOANS for PUBLIC WORKS, 1851 to 1866.

Dr.	£	s.	d.
To Receipts on account of Loans for Public Works—			
Year 1854	104,655	5	0
" 1855	45,700	0	0
" 1856	207,900	0	0
" 1857	274,800	0	0
" 1858	131,863	0	0
" 1859	157,755	15	0
" 1860	65,218	0	0
" 1861	16,989	5	0
" 1862	18,999	10	0
" 1863	33,044	0	0
" 1864	33,647	15	0
" 1865	113	5	2
" 1866	25,406	5	0
	£1,116,092	0	2

Cr.	£	s.	d.
By Expenditure under Acts on Public Works—			
Year 1851	2,000	0	0
" 1854	64,404	0	1
" 1855	115,722	9	9
" 1856	220,542	9	9
" 1857	184,131	7	8
" 1858	131,569	8	7
" 1859	125,341	14	1
" 1860	127,946	8	3
" 1861	9,192	1	10
" 1862	34,299	15	10
" 1863	13,464	13	8
" 1864	18,686	4	3
" 1865	18,654	14	8
" 1866	20,385	19	6
	£1,086,341	7	11
Balance in hand on 31st December, 1866	29,750	12	3
	£1,116,092	0	2

Compiled from published statements,

J. BOOTHBY, Government Statist.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE—*(Continued).*

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE of the COLONIAL GOVERNMENT of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, during the YEARS ended 31st DECEMBER, 1865 and 1866.

PART I.—ORDINARY.	1865.	1866.	Increase.	Decrease.
REVENUE—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Customs	240,183 12 3	230,134 0 9	—	10,049 11 6
Marine Board	6,277 14 8	6,061 8 7	—	216 6 1
Rents, Ordinary	1,629 3 4	1,455 11 11	—	183 11 5
Licences	13,826 6 6	8,903 8 6	—	4,922 18 0
Postages	25,023 2 5	27,987 8 5	2,964 6 0	—
Fines, Fees, and Forfeitures	19,520 14 3	22,148 7 0	2,627 12 9	—
Sales of Government Property	678 13 8	248 10 8	—	430 3 0
Reimbursements-in-aid	4,657 8 11	6,423 6 11	1,765 18 0	—
Miscellaneous Receipts	2,040 10 0	2,032 5 4	—	8 4 8
Interest, Exchange, &c.	35 15 10	2,113 5 10	2,077 10 0	—
Telegraphs	11,126 0 7	11,883 6 10	757 6 3	—
	324,999 2 5	319,381 0 0	10,192 13 0	15,819 14 8
Transfer from Part IIA.	—	20,000 0 0		
			Net decrease ..	5,618 1 8
	324,999 2 5	339,381 0 9		
EXPENDITURE—				
Civil List	14,800 0 0	14,800 0 0	—	—
Establishments, viz.—				
Salaries, fixed	66,142 6 7	80,953 19 6	14,811 12 11	—
Ditto, provisional and temporary	50,195 15 0	60,077 4 8	9,881 9 8	—
Allowances	3,596 11 2	5,280 12 3	1,684 1 1	—
Contingencies	86,157 10 7	103,847 4 0	17,689 13 5	—
Pensions, Retired Allowances, &c.	4,319 6 11	4,783 7 5	463 19 6	—
Public Works, Buildings, and Improvements	—	117,524 6 10	117,524 6 10	—
Miscellaneous Services	34,407 7 6	39,327 15 2	4,920 7 8	—
Interest, Exchange, &c.	27 5 0	33 0 0	5 15 0	
	259,646 3 9	426,627 9 10	166,981 6 1	—
Transfer to Part III.	102,307 5 11	—		
			Net increase ..	166,981 6 1
	361,953 9 8	426,627 9 10		
PART II.—PRIMARY CHARGES.				
REVENUE—				
Assessments	5,107 15 9	10,885 18 3	5,778 2 6	—
Rents Crown Lands	73,891 11 0	119,455 6 3	45,563 15 8	—
Licences	2,475 17 6	2,556 2 6	80 5 0	—
Fines, Fees, and Forfeitures	940 10 0	817 17 0	—	122 13 0
Sales of Government Property	2 17 0	321 18 0	319 1 9	—
Reimbursements-in-aid	42 13 6	50 8 6	7 15 0	—
Miscellaneous Receipts	2 0 6	152 12 6	150 12 0	—
	82,463 5 3	134,240 4 2	51,899 11 11	122 13 0
			Net increase ..	51,776 18 11
EXPENDITURE—				
Establishments, viz.—				
Salaries fixed	8,989 3 7	11,801 14 7	2,812 11 0	—
Salaries provisional and temporary	9,283 15 4	12,031 1 4	2,747 6 0	—
Allowances	985 10 0	1,246 10 0	261 0 0	—
Contingencies	11,682 14 3	15,302 4 9	3,619 10 6	—
Miscellaneous Services	—	10,054 11 8	10,054 11 8	—
	30,941 3 2	50,436 2 4	19,494 19 2	—
Transfer to Part II.A.	—	75,000 0 0		
			Net increase ..	19,494 19 2
	30,941 3 2	125,436 2 4		
A.—PUBLIC WORKS FUND.				
REVENUE—				
Sales of Crown Lands, two-thirds of	336,451 7 11	220,856 17 8	—	115,594 10 3
Interest, Exchange, &c.	88 17 7	4,110 9 11	4,021 12 4	—
	336,540 5 6	224,967 7 7	4,021 12 4	115,594 10 3
Transfer from Part II., Primary Charges	—	75,000 0 0		
			Net decrease ..	111,572 17 11
	336,540 5 6	299,967 7 7		
EXPENDITURE—				
Interest on, and Redemption of, Loans for Public Works	93,056 0 0	95,830 0 0	2,774 0 0	—
Interest, Exchange, &c.	454 5 0	711 5 0	257 0 0	—
	93,510 5 0	96,541 5 0	3,031 0 0	—
Transfer to Part I.	—	20,000 0 0		
Transfer to Part III.	136,630 13 11	282,236 15 9	Net increase ..	3,031 0 0
	230,140 18 11	398,778 0 9		

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE—*(Continued).*

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of the REVENUE and EXPENDITURE of the COLONIAL GOVERNMENT of SOUTH AUSTRALIA—*(Continued).*

B.—IMMIGRATION FUND.	1865.	1866.	Increase.	Decrease.
REVENUE—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Sales of Crown Lands, one-third of	168,225 13 11	110,428 8 10	—	57,797 5 1
Special Receipts	9,298 13 7	3,183 1 0	—	6,115 12 7
Reimbursements in-aid	—	17 10 0	17 10 0	—
Miscellaneous Receipts	82 10 4	2,147 1 7	2,064 11 3	—
Interest, Exchange, &c.	2,600 14 10	11,090 4 1	8,489 9 3	—
	180,207 12 8	126,866 5 6	10,571 10 6	63,912 17 8
			Net decrease ..	53,341 7 2
EXPENDITURE—				
Establishments, viz.—				
Salaries, fixed	715 16 8	956 13 4	240 16 8	—
Ditto, provisional and temporary	373 0 0	375 16 8	2 16 8	—
Contingencies	507 2 1	718 15 7	211 13 6	—
Miscellaneous Services	14 6 6	111 3 6	96 17 0	—
Interest, Exchange, &c.	98 10 0	42 10 0	—	56 0 0
Immigration	53,688 16 5	65,181 11 1	11,492 14 8	—
	55,397 11 8	67,386 10 2	12,044 18 6	56 0 0
			Net increase ..	11,988 18 6
PART III.—PUBLIC WORKS and REPRODUCTIVE UNDERTAKINGS effected from LOANS.				
REVENUE—				
Railways	134,070 12 0	116,492 14 1	—	17,577 17 11
Goolwa and Victor Harbor Tramway	3,355 0 10	4,034 0 4	678 19 6	—
Water Rates	17.226 16 10	15,001 11 10	—	2,225 5 0
Sales of Government Property	—	16 3 2	16 3 2	—
Reimbursements-in-aid	5,846 5 0	22 9 6	—	5,823 15 6
Interest, Exchange, &c.	4,419 13 10	8,752 5 5	4,332 11 7	—
	164,918 8 6	144,319 4 4	5,027 14 3	25,626 18 5
Transfer from Part I.	102,307 5 11	—		
Ditto from Part IIA.	136,630 13 11	282,236 15 9		
			Net decrease ..	20,599 4 2
	403,856 8 4	426,556 0 1		
EXPENDITURE—				
Establishments, viz.—				
Salaries, fixed	5,509 6 6	6,849 10 4	1,340 3 10	—
Ditto, provisional and temporary	42,742 4 6	42,361 11 6	—	380 13 0
Allowances	45 17 6	91 5 0	45 7 6	—
Contingencies	79,464 3 1	88,952 16 5	9,488 13 4	—
Public Works, Buildings, and Improvements	223,083 1 10	284,721 10 9	61,638 8 11	—
Miscellaneous Services	—	33 18 9	33 18 9	—
Interest, Exchange, &c.	164 11 0	321 6 0	156 15 0	—
	351,009 4 5	423,331 18 9	72,703 7 4	380 13 0
			Net increase ..	72,322 14 4
GENERAL SUMMARY OF REVENUE.*				
Part I. Ordinary	324,999 2 5	319,381 0 9	—	5,618 1 8
Part II. Primary Credits	82,463 5 3	134,240 4 2	51,776 18 11	—
Part IIA. Public Works Fund	336,540 5 6	224,967 7 7	—	111,572 17 11
Part IIB. Immigration Fund	180,207 12 8	126,866 5 6	—	53,341 7 2
Part III. Public Works and Reproductive Undertakings, effected from Loans	164,918 8 6	144,319 4 4	—	20,599 4 2
	1,089,128 14 4	949,774 2 4	51,776 18 11	191,131 10 11
Balance from previous year	219,015 17 5	517,640 3 9		
			Net decrease ..	139,354 12 0
	1,308,144 11 9	1,467,414 6 1		
GENERAL SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURE.*				
Part I. Ordinary	259,646 3 9	426,627 9 10	166,981 6 1	—
Part II. Primary Charges	30,941 3 2	50,436 2 4	19,494 19 2	—
Part IIA. Public Works Fund	93,510 5 0	96,541 5 0	3,031 0 0	—
Part IIB. Immigration Fund	55,397 11 8	67,386 10 2	11,988 18 6	—
Part III. Public Works and Reproductive Undertakings, effected from Loans	351,009 4 5	423,331 18 9	72,322 14 4	—
	790,504 8 0	1,064,323 6 1	273,818 18 1	—
Balance in hand on last day of year	417,640 3 9	403,091 0 0		
			Net increase ..	273,818 18 1
	1,308,144 11 9	1,467,414 6 1		

* Exclusive of transfers.

REVENUES—LOCAL.

RETURN showing RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of DISTRICT COUNCILS during the YEAR ending 30th JUNE, 1866.

Name of District Council.	Amount of Assessment.	Rate declared in the Pound.	Amount payable on Assessment.	Amount of Rates collected during Year.	Amount of Government Grant in aid of Rates.	Amount of Private Subscriptions collected during Year.	Amount of Grant in aid of Private Subscriptions.	Amount derived from Crown Lands.	Amount raised from other sources, including balance brought forward.	Total Receipts.	Office Expenses and Salaries.	Amount expended on Public Works.	Remarks.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Aldinga	4,455 0 0	1s.	222 15 0	83 2 2	105 12 9	—	—	16 5 0	154 19 10	359 19 9	74 18 0	233 10 11	
Alexandrina	2,907 18 0	9d.	109 0 11	117 7 6	100 14 6	—	—	124 16 0	70 14 8	413 12 8	61 17 10	142 4 0	
Angaston	11,212 6 0	—	407 0 3	262 3 5	441 0 5	145 0 0	115 0 0	—	45 4 0	1,008 7 10	110 1 9	793 0 3	
Barossa East *a*	—	—	—	150 19 0	—	—	—	—	88 9 5	239 8 5	54 12 0	104 8 6	*a* No rate declared.
Barossa West	10,418 0 0	6d.	260 9 0	58 1 9	305 18 2	84 0 0	84 0 0	30 1 6	4 15 10	566 17 3	50 18 10	222 7 6	
Belvidere *b*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*b* Proclaimed after June, 1866.
Bremer	8,422 10 0	9d.	315 16 10	386 9 7	284 17 0	—	—	53 2 3	368 12 10	1,093 1 8	109 12 6	702 13 6	
Brighton	6,081 10 0	1s.	304 1 6	302 6 6	244 14 0	—	—	—	42 8 10	589 9 4	61 0 1	554 13 4	
Burnside	10,034 10 0	1s.	501 14 6	482 9 6	363 6 11	59 10 9	—	—	124 3 5	1,029 10 7	143 10 0	876 4 8	
Clare	20,976 0 0	6d.	524 8 0	631 8 2	562 6 5	—	—	—	278 12 5	1,472 7 0	445 17 11	1,015 6 1	
Clarendon	7,509 15 0	9d.	281 12 4	255 16 9	259 2 0	—	—	8 1 6	129 8 5	652 8 8	101 18 9	448 19 4	
Crafers	3,097 3 6	1s. 0¾d.	158 1 10	156 15 4	86 12 3	12 17 6	12 17 6	11 7 6	3 9 1	283 19 2	33 19 11	241 0 10	
East Torrens	6,747 18 0	1s.	337 7 10	332 10 7	235 19 0	164 15 3	164 15 3	23 15 6	154 19 7	1,076 15 2	79 10 6	1,019 13 11	
Echunga	5,460 0 0	1s.	273 0 0	211 16 0	96 19 0	5 13 4	—	113 3 0	324 9 2	752 0 6	169 9 11	518 19 9	
Encounter Bay	6,525 2 6	1s.	326 5 3	273 17 7	156 13 0	7 0 0	—	67 17 6	60 10 0	565 18 1	108 1 0	314 15 8	
Flaxman's Valley *c*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*c* No financial operations until July, 1866.
Gilbert *d*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*d* Proclaimed after June, 1866.
Glanville	2,932 0 0	1s.	146 12 0	97 8 9	311 16 6	229 11 2	320 11 7	—	6 3 0	965 11 0	36 0 0	702 17 3	
Highercombe	4,111 0 0	1s.	205 11 0	183 16 3	89 11 0	59 11 0	35 10 0	40 15 4	137 3 11	546 7 6	35 10 6	449 8 1	
Hindmarsh	17,434 0 0	1s.	871 14 0	850 18 0	788 1 0	—	—	24 5 4	155 14 0	1,818 18 4	200 0 0	1,576 2 0	
Kapunda *e*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*e* Proclaimed after June, 1866.
Kondoparinga	5,513 0 0	1s.	275 13 0	263 4 3	359 13 2	1 10 0	—	181 17 10	166 15 11	973 1 2	178 12 11	657 7 8	
Macclesfield	6,479 17 0	9d.	242 19 10	222 9 3	198 10 6	—	—	25 14 2	51 4 10	497 18 9	131 8 7	330 4 10	
Mitcham	26,794 0 0	1s.	1,339 14 0	1,035 11 6	978 9 8	12 6 0	10 0 0	—	644 17 5	2,681 4 7	304 9 10	2,426 6 9	
Morphett Vale	4,970 10 0	1s.	248 10 6	244 9 0	198 7 2	16 1 0	16 10 0	—	43 13 4	519 0 6	57 6 9	377 4 0	
Mount Barker	10,579 0 0	1s.	528 19 0	494 1 0	139 6 6	50 16 0	—	7 8 0	57 18 0	749 9 6	63 2 8	1,110 4 7	
Mount Crawford *f*	4,866 0 0	—	—	116 8 6	—	60 0 0	—	164 5 8	126 5 6	466 19 8	66 16 8	281 12 8	*f* No rate declared.
Mount Gambier East	7,489 7 6	1s.	374 9 0	366 8 5	—	142 5 8	—	74 12 0	88 7 11	671 14 0	278 17 2	486 19 6	
Mount Gambier West	15,000 0 0	1s. 6d.	1,125 0 5	1,175 12 9	1,250 0 3	17 0 8	53 7 5	50 18 0	855 19 5	3,402 18 6	512 13 10	2,789 0 5	
Mudla Wirra	18,271 0 0	1s.	913 11 0	364 4 6	206 17 4	—	—	203 11 0	30 16 10	805 9 8	120 13 0	684 16 8	
Munno Para East	7,722 10 4	6d.	193 1 3	141 0 11	167 16 11	—	—	—	146 15 10	455 13 8	44 5 6	373 3 11	
Munno Para West	14,784 10 0	6d.	369 12 3	365 10 0	302 1 0	—	—	18 13 6	320 10 0	1,006 14 6	125 7 6	715 11 6	
Myponga *g*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*g* Return not forwarded by District Council.
Nairne	17,519 15 0	1s.	875 19 9	636 8 8	801 5 4	100 0 0	—	426 4 10	281 4 1	2,245 2 11	234 10 10	1,662 11 1	
Noarlunga	5,761 0 0	1s. 3d.	360 1 3	368 0 1	396 17 9	1 0 0	—	—	225 1 8	990 19 6	111 11 8	733 6 9	
Onaunga	6,074 10 0	1s.	303 14 6	263 17 3	242 10 0	—	—	40 14 6	156 1 10	703 3 7	108 9 10	568 1 7	
Onkaparinga	14,980 4 0	1s.	749 0 2	654 15 6	430 19 8	—	—	—	86 1 7	1,171 16 9	195 8 3	976 8 6	
Para Wirra *h*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*h* Return not forwarded by District Council.
Payneham	18,402 0 0	9d.	690 1 6	652 9 9	451 1 9	59 13 1	17 3 1	—	265 19 9	1,446 7 5	108 13 3	1,132 2 9	
Port Elliot and Goolwa	14,577 6 0	1s.	728 17 3	424 2 4	671 3 7	16 0 0	—	58 11 6	464 2 0	1,633 19 5	318 11 3	1,208 15 7	
Port Gawler	14,508 10 0	6d.	362 14 3	305 4 9	502 19 0	76 16 0	—	23 10 8	171 7 3	1,079 17 8	113 19 3	877 18 11	
Port Land Estate	6,976 0 0	2s.	348 16 0	349 12 6	879 7 0	67 1 6	—	11 5 6	2 17 9	1,310 4 3	61 6 7	1,161 8 9	
Queenstown and Alberton	5,201 10 0	1s.	260 1 6	256 16 0	69 19 6	—	—	24 17 3	—	351 12 9	97 9 0	368 0 11	
Rhynie *i*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*i* Proclaimed after June, 1866.
Rapid Bay	4,617 15 1	1s.	230 17 9	196 4 0	81 4 0	41 5 0	—	65 11 2	96 18 7	481 2 9	102 1 0	334 5 11	
South Rhine	9,853 8 6	6d.	246 6 9	—	150 0 0	—	—	1 5 0	16 1 3	167 6 3	60 2 4	22 18 0	
Stockport	9,500 0 0	6d.	237 10 0	95 14 5	—	—	—	21 0 0	—	116 14 5	84 5 4	29 17 8	
Strathalbyn	9,558 2 6	1s.	477 18 1	477 8 10	476 15 4	295 0 0	295 0 0	90 0 4	218 14 0	1,852 18 6	124 2 8	1,334 2 3	
Talunga	—	—	—	174 3 2	291 13 7	102 11 9	72 11 9	1 10 0	362 7 10	1,004 18 1	125 7 3	874 9 0	
Tanunda	5,593 10 0	1s.	279 13 6	278 16 0	422 0 8	28 1 6	40 5 6	47 14 9	9 17 5	826 15 10	87 0 8	598 6 9	
Teatree Gully	9,549 0 0	6d.	238 14 6	238 14 6	238 14 6	2 0 0	—	—	187 1 0	666 10 0	51 10 2	714 3 7	
Tungkillo	6,199 15 6	6¼d.	161 9 0	42 2 9	151 14 3	—	—	130 19 2	187 8 11	512 5 1	125 8 8	248 5 10	
Upper Wakefield *k*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	*k* Return not forwarded by District Council.
Walkerville	3,730 0 0	1s.	186 10 0	186 13 0	85 0 4	—	—	23 9 3	75 13 4	370 15 11	50 16 11	275 11 6	
West Torrens	10,139 0 0	1s.	506 19 0	505 10 0	479 5 0	143 0 0	143 0 0	—	223 12 1	1,494 7 1	86 2 4	1,408 4 9	
Willunga	5,650 0 0	1s.	282 10 0	259 13 6	139 14 0	—	—	5 0 0	76 11 9	480 19 3	76 14 6	342 6 0	
Yankalilla	10,327 7 0	1s.	516 7 4	528 5 6	226 5 9	208 1 2	93 2 2	23 0 0	421 18 11	1,500 13 6	126 14 7	1,362 17 3	
Yatala	18,436 0 0	6d.	460 18 0	431 15 9	602 5 4	—	—	3 0 0	503 3 10	1,540 4 11	158 16 0	1,105 7 1	
Total	457,949 1 5		19,362 0 7	16,952 15 2	16,025 2 9	2,208 8 4	1,473 14 3	2,238 4 6	8,715 8 3	47,613 13 3	6,369 16 3	37,488 8 6	

JAMES N. BLACKMORE, Secretary Crown Lands and Immigration.

REVENUES—LOCAL—*(Continued)*.

RETURN showing RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS during the YEAR ended 31st DECEMBER, 1866.

Name of Corporation.	Amount of Assessment.	Rate declared in the pound.	Amount of Rates collected during year.	Amount of Government Grant in aid of Rates.	Amount of Private Subscriptions collected.	Amount of Government Grant in aid of Private Subscriptions.	Amounts raised from other sources.	Total Receipts.	Office Expenses and Salaries.	Amount expended on Public Works.
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Adelaide	170,239 15 0	1s.	8,663 12 11	6,286 5 6	1,316 9 0	1,468 18 6	*4,756 0 1	22,491 6 0	3,499 0 7	21,299 12 7
Kensington and Norwood	22,456 0 0	1s.	1,040 12 6	1,062 16 3	10 0 6	—	372 7 6	2,485 16 9	406 12 8	2,079 4 1
Port Adelaide	26,533 14 0	1s.	1,409 12 3	1,955 19 0	33 4 6	—	181 8 6	3,580 4 3	325 4 3	4,956 7 11
Gawler	13,600 0 0	1s.	344 6 7	470 0 0	63 18 11	63 18 11	139 8 0	1,081 12 5	165 0 0	916 12 5
Glenelg	9,670 15 0	1s.	489 6 5	511 19 7	67 2 11	114 12 11	46 3 6	1,229 5 4	111 8 7	1,140 7 2
Brighton	3,863 0 0	1s.	113 2 10	164 3 6	—	—	7 9 6	284 15 10	33 0 0	360 1 2
Kapunda	15,493 16 0	1s.	488 2 6	600 17 3	—	—	*1,522 19 7	2,611 19 4	—	2,645 16 1
Totals	261,857 0 0		12,548 16 0	11,052 1 1	1,490 15 10	1,647 10 4	7,025 16 8	33,764 19 11	4,540 6 1	33,398 1 5

* Including £1,000 Parliamentary vote.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the AGGREGATE RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS and DISTRICT COUNCILS.

Year.	Amount of Assessment.	Amount of Rates collected during year.	Amount of Government Grant in aid of Rates.	Amount of Private Subscriptions collected.	Amount of Government Grant in aid of Private Subscriptions.	Amount derived from Crown Lands.	Amount raised from other sources.	Total Receipts.	Office Expenses and Salaries.	Amount expended on Public Works.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
CORPORATIONS—										
1857	212,918 6 0	9,286 8 10	11,591 17 8	916 7 7	1,024 17 5	—	9,245 0 0	31,829 19 1	2,816 9 1	28,521 19 10
1858	239,612 19 6	10,288 6 11	10,004 11 6	2,652 9 11	2,299 10 7	—	4,691 6 9	29,936 5 8	4,065 11 11	27,442 9 1
1859	255,405 0 0	10,974 8 2	11,433 5 10	1,447 17 4	1,404 2 3	—	4,346 3 3	28,605 16 10	4,040 9 10	23,245 9 5
1860	238,565 12 0	10,647 4 11	8,146 11 8	754 14 0	636 2 0	—	4,576 9 8	24,761 2 3	2,978 13 4	20,825 7 2
1861	233,112 13 0	10,953 3 1	10,262 13 0	566 8 5	283 17 5	—	6,330 12 0	28,396 13 11	3,065 19 4	24,812 5 8
1862	214,064 0 0	9,740 15 7	9,589 17 3	977 11 6	264 4 4	—	3,521 8 4	24,093 17 0	3,401 10 11	21,289 11 1
1863	213,442 0 0	10,976 14 10	7,177 3 4	705 9 5	642 6 11	—	4,837 6 6	24,339 1 0	3,396 12 2	23,939 16 0
1864	228,964 0 0	11,530 2 8	7,626 14 11	1,018 2 3	1,191 6 2	—	4,284 8 9	25,650 14 9	3,808 15 10	20,549 14 2
1865	250,376 3 6	13,264 12 5	9,465 10 4	1,603 16 2	1,184 3 10	—	7,009 6 7	32,527 9 4	4,337 1 10	21,875 15 1
1866	261,857 0 0	12,548 16 0	11,052 1 1	1,490 15 10	1,647 10 4	—	7,025 16 8	33,764 19 11	4,540 6 1	33,398 1 5
DISTRICT COUNCILS—										
1857	367,116 11 5	13,593 4 6	14,802 8 7	3,028 2 3	3,195 8 3	—	4,199 13 5	34,494 4 1	4,631 15 2	26,335 19 0
1858	364,006 15 7	12,401 15 1	9,805 9 11	991 2 4	1,144 0 6	—	3,022 6 3	25,535 9 11	4,347 10 5	25,486 15 8
1859	310,971 4 0	11,348 4 8	8,707 1 0	667 15 8	501 15 4	*1,524 18 8	1,275 1 8	24,004 17 0	4,460 16 4	20,392 4 8
1860	377,752 7 9	12,730 16 7	10,098 3 1	1,355 17 11	1,132 8 11	1,294 13 5	1,819 19 8	28,431 19 7	4,648 2 0	23,311 12 2
1861†	387,626 0 7	12,508 14 0	8,486 18 3	728 9 1	716 6 8	1,889 18 8	4,092 8 4	28,422 15 0	5,228 16 4	23,170 13 7
1862	376,073 2 2	12,661 9 8	9,433 12 1	394 17 9	239 0 10	1,587 5 3	6,017 3 0	30,333 8 8	5,380 1 0	22,814 3 0
1863	411,895 12 4	13,800 13 0	12,931 1 4	515 16 1	406 10 0	1,472 19 0	5,584 3 6	34,711 3 0	6,396 0 0	24,386 17 9
1864	407,504 17 4	14,789 13 2	12,214 13 8	707 6 6	573 2 9	1,597 10 4	8,013 2 8	37,895 9 1	6,060 1 10	27,021 12 6
1865	433,719 9 2	15,730 7 9	13,636 2 0	1,239 3 6	973 3 9	1,987 2 1	9,203 14 1	42,769 13 3	5,904 1 6	21,310 13 6
1866	457,949 1 5	16,952 15 2	16,025 2 9	2,208 8 4	1,473 14 3	2,238 4 6	8,715 8 3	47,613 13 3	6,369 16 3	37,488 8 6

* In previous years included in "Amounts raised from other sources."

† From this date inclusive, for year ending 30th June.

Compiled from Returns furnished to Government by Corporations and District Councils.

J. BOOTHBY, Government Statist.

ROADS—MAIN.

DECENNIAL RETURN showing the LENGTH of MAIN LINES of ROADS completed in SOUTH AUSTRALIA, and the EXPENDITURE of the CENTRAL BOARD of MAIN ROADS.

	1857.		1858.		1859.		1860.		1861.		1862.		1863.		1864.		1865.		1866.		Total.	
North District.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.	Miles.	Chains.
1. Length of declared Main Lines*	20	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	333	00
2. Length of road metalled and completed at commencement of each year	31	52	35	68	48	22	56	34	60	76	66	38	74	18·50	81	47·50	94	19·59	110	36·59	125	54·59‡
3. Length of road metalled and completed during year.	4	16	12	34	8	12	4	42	5	42	7	60·50	7	29	12	52·09	16	17·00	15	18·00	94	02·59§
North-Eastern District—																						
1. Length of declared Main Lines*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	203	00
2. Length of road metalled and completed at commencement of each year	19	58	22	55	28	30	36	4	39	39	43	72	46	75·68	52	75·72	62	64·47	76	36·47	88	74·97‡
3. Length of road metalled and completed during year.....	2	77	5	55	7	54	3	35	4	33	3	3·68	6	00·04	9	68·75	13	52·00	12	38·50	69	16·97§
South-Eastern District.																						
1. Length of declared Main Lines*	62	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	391	00
2. Length of road metalled and completed at commencement of each year	21	69	31	34	39	36	47	1	55	2	62	43	70	27·85	73	36·48	79	27·78	98	76·60	116	76·79‡
3. Length of road metalled and completed during year.....	9	45	8	2	7	45	8	1	7	41	7	64·85	3	08·63	5	71·30	19	48·82	18	00·19	95	07·79§
South District.																						
1. Length of declared Main Lines* ...	15	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	213	00
2. Length of road metalled and completed at commencement of each year	23	60	29	61	33	10	35	46	36	38	37	59	45	35	51	32·35	57	23·75	62	38·75	75	07·25‡
3. Length of road metalled and completed during year.....	6	1	3	29	2	36	0	72	1	21	7	56	5	77·35	5	71·40	5	15·00	12	48·50	51	27·25§
North-West District.																						
1. Length of declared Main Lines	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	330	
2. Length of road metalled and completed during year.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	40·61	** 9	40·61
In the Colony.																						
1. Length of declared Main Lines*.....	97	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,470	00
2. Length of road metalled and completed at commencement of each year.. ..	96	79	119	58	149	18	175	5	191	75	210	52	236	77·03	259	32·05	293	55·59	348	28·41	416	14.21‡
3. Length of road metalled and completed during year.....	22	59	29	40	25	67	16	70	18	57	26	25·03	22	35·02	34	23·54	54	52·82	67	65·80	319	15·21§
Expenditure—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
North District	23,226 5 2	22,607 9 1	19,387 16 4	10,314 7 7	16,442 7 11	15,071 18 0	16,459 3 10	17,423 6 0	‖28,505 4 8	¶36,548 19 8	205,986 18 3
North-Eastern District	23,537 3 10	20,487 13 5	21,240 15 10	10,003 7 1	8,954 7 5	14,072 19 5	15,518 16 7	19,897 1 0	26,872 17 5	36,661 2 8	197,246 4 8
South-Eastern District	36,078 5 2	19,340 14 10	15,532 1 8	9,847 4 0	13,394 16 3	17,070 4 1	9,645 4 7	15,581 12 9	24,908 3 3	34,811 10 6	196,209 17 1
South District	24,391 7 4	16,466 13 4	26,051 17 2	10,721 19 7	12,000 14 8	14,645 16 1	14,214 9 3	17,806 11 8	21,842 4 11	32,574 2 5	190,715 16 5
North-West District	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17,610 3 6	17,610 3 6
Other Expenditure †	6,233 18 1	6,144 3 3	7,798 2 4	5,715 4 10	5,491 5 2	6,370 8 2	5,568 14 10	5,547 14 7	9,001 1 4	10,995 4 3	68,865 16 10
Totals	113,466 19 7	85,046 13 11	90,010 13 4	46,602 3 1	56,283 11 5	67,231 5 9	61,406 9 1	76,256 6 0	111,129 11 7	169,201 3 0	876,634 16 9

* As a portion only of the declared Main Lines is yet defined, the lengths can only be assumed.

† Includes land and compensation, timber, office premises, law expenses, establishment, Wellington Ferry, and miscellaneous charges.

‡ These figures represent the total length of main roads made and completed to 31st December, 1866.

§ These figures represent the total length of main roads made and completed during the last ten years.

‖ Includes £5,710 6s. 8d. expended under Parliamentary Vote for roads struck off Schedule of Main Roads.

¶ Includes £3,581 12s. 2d. expended under Parliamentary Votes for roads struck off Schedule of Main Roads.

** The length of road metalled and completed in the North-West District prior to 1866 is included in the North District.

H. J. ANDREWS, Secretary, Cashier, and Accountant.

SHIPPING.

SHIPPING—INWARDS.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the NUMBER and TONNAGE of VESSELS ENTERED INWARDS.

Years.	From Great Britain.		From British Possessions.														From Foreign States.		Totals.	
			New South Wales.		Victoria.		Tasmania.		Western Australia.		In East Indies and China.		Mauritius.		Other British Possessions.					
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
1857	72	39,808	43	8,750	247	41,879	38	5,179	15	2,525	44	32,619	5	836	6	1,836	16	6,941	486	140,373
1858	64	38,495	57	11,811	167	29,779	39	5,977	12	1,459	1	191	12	2,532	1	30	21	8,528	374	98,802
1859	52	28,054	60	13,105	192	43,113	36	3,673	17	8,523	4	647	12	2,914	5	1,289	24	10,118	402	111,436
1860	43	21,674	71	14,891	138	42,591	25	3,046	19	8,934	2	443	12	2,760	5	1,356	9	4,986	324	100,681
1861	49	25,255	80	20,769	180	35,501	37	4,708	12	3,354	2	918	17	4,248	6	1,360	18	7,083	401	103,196
1862	49	25,744	96	26,285	130	24,522	31	3,904	14	4,244	6	2,266	17	4,507	14	5,051	17	8,708	374	105,231
1863	57	28,265	110	30,903	164	35,954	34	4,427	17	6,253	5	3,179	20	4,368	16	5,837	17	8,481	440	127,667
1864	59	29,948	175	45,535	260	56,111	49	5,684	17	5,246	2	688	15	3,370	21	4,833	19	8,680	617	160,095
1865	69	42,074	152	43,022	230	58,199	73	8,690	29	8,940	3	718	17	3,746	22	5,984	24	11,729	619	183,102
1866	59	40,379	178	58,796	171	40,969	46	5,692	20	6,726	1	793	15	3,381	17	4,503	17	8,200	524	169,439

SHIPPING—OUTWARDS.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the NUMBER and TONNAGE of VESSELS ENTERED OUTWARDS.

Years.	For Great Britain.		For British Possessions.														For Foreign States.		Totals.	
			New South Wales.		Victoria.		Tasmania.		Western Australia.		In East Indies and China.		Mauritius.		Other British Possessions.					
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
1857	20	9,580	30	8,453	300	66,875	12	1,711	16	2,748	40	21,095	10	2,340	3	686	53	28,507	484	141,995
1858	12	5,689	47	9,435	218	40,903	15	2,000	11	1,295	13	8,437	3	1,060	2	1,475	46	23,295	367	93,589
1859	17	8,772	36	7,504	224	43,601	18	1,937	22	11,516	14	8,501	8	1,768	6	1,999	45	19,094	390	104,692
1860	24	12,221	58	12,612	167	47,875	11	1,325	20	8,285	10	5,318	10	2,587	3	1,140	35	16,992	338	108,355
1861	21	11,268	67	17,274	225	44,542	6	780	19	5,203	15	7,442	9	2,099	14	2,517	11	5,610	387	96,135
1862	33	18,695	96	26,687	154	30,219	15	1,705	12	3,448	19	10,194	7	1,915	43	11,640	13	6,787	392	111,290
1863	25	14,465	93	24,873	160	34,469	13	1,570	19	6,926	27	15,340	9	2,568	90	23,022	10	4,593	446	127,826
1864	22	11,677	139	38,008	279	59,473	21	2,617	19	6,063	24	13,083	8	1,904	82	18,341	25	10,127	619	161,293
1865	34	17,867	136	39,092	248	62,402	37	4,629	27	8,469	23	12,692	6	1,517	60	11,694	30	15,826	601	174,188
1866	30	22,097	133	49,655	215	50,184	13	1,365	25	8,464	13	9,337	6	1,495	51	11,658	29	16,177	515	170,432

SHIPPING—*(Continued)*—INWARDS.

NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS ENTERED at PORTS in the COLONY of SOUTH AUSTRALIA from each COUNTRY, in the YEAR 1866.

Countries whence arrived.	British.									Foreign.									Total.								
	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Great Britain	58	39,780	1,330	—	—	—	56	39,780	1,330	1	599	14	—	—	—	1	599	14	59	40,379	1,344	—	—	—	59	40,379	1,344
Victoria	165	39,609	3,071	6	1,360	55	171	40,969	3,126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	165	39,609	3,071	6	1,360	55	171	40,969	3,126
New South Wales	174	57,069	1,864	—	—	—	174	57,069	1,864	4	1,727	51	—	—	—	4	1,727	51	178	58,796	1,915	—	—	—	178	58,796	1,915
Western Australia	20	6,726	546	—	—	—	20	6,726	546	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	6,726	546	1	—	—	20	6,726	546
New Zealand	7	1,550	67	1	70	5	8	1,620	72	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	1,550	67	—	70	5	8	1,620	72
Tasmania	46	5,692	303	—	—	—	46	5,692	303	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	46	5,692	303	—	—	—	46	5,692	303
Queensland	5	1,762	81	—	—	—	5	1,762	81	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	1,762	81	—	—	—	5	1,762	81
Mauritius	13	2,988	136	—	—	—	13	2,988	136	2	393	19	—	—	—	2	393	19	15	3,381	155	—	—	—	15	3,881	155
Cape Colony	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	794	32	—	—	—	3	794	32	3	794	32	—	—	—	3	794	32
India	1	793	35	—	—	—	1	793	35	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	793	35	—	—	—	1	793	35
British Columbia	1	327	12	—	—	—	1	327	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	327	12	—	—	—	1	327	12
China	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	693	34	—	—	—	3	693	34	3	693	34	—	—	—	3	693	34
Hamburg	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	518	24	—	—	—	2	518	24	2	518	24	—	—	—	2	518	24
Sweden	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	2,816	84	—	—	—	5	2,816	84	5	2,816	84	—	—	—	5	2,816	84
United States	6	3,525	106	—	—	—	6	3,525	106	1	648	12	—	—	—	1	648	12	7	4,173	118	—	—	—	7	4,173	118
	496	159,821	7,551	7	1,430	60	503	161,251	7,611	21	8,188	270	—	—	—	21	8,188	270	517	168,009	7,821	7	1,430	60	524	169,439	7,881
New South Wales—River Murray trade	51	3,985	334	—	—	—	51	3,985	334	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	51	3,985	334	—	—	—	51	3,985	334
Total	547	163,806	7,885	7	1,430	60	554	165,236	7,945	21	8,188	270	—	—	—	21	8,188	270	568	171,994	8,155	7	1,430	60	575	173,424	8,215

SHIPPING—*(Continued)*—OUTWARDS.

NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED at PORTS in the COLONY of SOUTH AUSTRALIA to each COUNTRY, in the YEAR 1866.

Countries to which departed.	British.									Foreign.									Total.								
	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Great Britain	30	22,097	686	—	—	—	30	22,097	686	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	30	22,097	686	—	—	—	30	22,097	686
Victoria	208	48,502	3,301	7	1,682	68	215	50,184	3,369	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	208	48,502	3,301	7	1,682	68	215	50,184	3,369
New South Wales	70	25,394	847	57	22,584	692	127	47,978	1,539	5	1,308	54	1	369	13	6	1,677	67	75	26,702	901	58	22,953	705	133	49,655	1,606
Western Australia	24	8,268	585	—	—	—	24	8,268	585	1	196	9	—	—	—	1	196	9	25	8,464	594	—	—	—	25	8,464	594
New Zealand	27	6,008	245	—	—	—	27	6,008	245	1	203	10	—	—	—	1	203	10	28	6,211	255	—	—	—	28	6,211	255
Tasmania	1	158	7	12	1,207	71	13	1,365	78	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	158	7	12	1,207	71	13	1,365	78
Queensland	20	4,533	179	1	534	30	21	5,067	209	1	197	9	—	—	—	1	197	9	21	4,730	188	1	534	30	22	5,264	218
Mauritius	5	1,201	47	—	—	—	5	1,201	47	1	294	11	—	—	—	1	294	11	6	1,495	58	—	—	—	6	1,495	58
Cape Colony	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	183	9	—	—	—	1	183	9	1	183	9	—	—	—	1	183	9
India	8	6,334	209	4	2,220	69	12	8,554	278	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	6,334	209	4	2,220	69	12	8,554	278
Shanghai	1	783	27	—	—	—	1	783	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	783	27	—	—	—	1	783	27
Batavia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	575	19	—	—	—	1	575	19	1	575	19	—	—	—	1	575	19
Callao	—	—	—	8	6,386	174	8	6,386	174	—	—	—	5	2,731	69	5	2,731	69	—	—	—	13	9,117	243	13	9,117	243
Valparaiso	—	—	—	2	691	26	2	691	26	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	691	26	2	691	26
China	1	513	18	—	—	—	1	513	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	513	18	—	—	—	1	513	18
United States	1	281	11	—	—	—	1	281	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	281	11	—	—	—	1	281	11
Guam	—	—	—	6	2,712	83	6	2,712	83	—	—	—	5	2,288	71	5	2,288	71	—	—	—	11	5,000	154	11	5,000	154
	396	124,072	6,162	97	38,016	1,213	493	162,088	7,375	11	2,956	121	11	5,388	153	22	8,344	274	407	127,028	6,283	108	43,404	1,366	515	170,432	7,649
New South Wales—River Murray trade	52	4,196	293	—	—	—	52	4,196	293	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	52	4,196	293	—	—	—	52	4,196	293
Total	448	128,268	6,455	97	38,016	1,213	545	166,284	7,668	11	2,956	121	11	5,388	153	22	8,344	274	459	131,224	6,576	108	43,404	1,366	567	174,628	7,942

SHIPPING—*(Continued)*—INWARDS.

NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS of each NATION ENTERED at PORTS in the COLONY of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, in the YEAR 1866.

Nationality of Vessels.	Entered.								
	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Great Britain	496	159,821	7,551	7	1,430	60	503	161,251	7,611
Denmark	3	609	30	—	—	—	3	609	30
France	2	662	27	—	—	—	2	662	27
Hamburg	4	850	41	—	—	—	4	850	41
Norway	1	183	10	—	—	—	1	183	10
Sweden	7	3,480	109	—	—	—	7	3,480	109
United States	4	2,404	53	—	—	—	4	2,404	53
	517	168,009	7,821	7	1,430	60	524	169,439	7,881
Great Britain—River Murray	51	3,985	334	—	—	—	51	3,985	334
Total	568	171,994	8,155	7	1,430	60	575	173,424	8,215

SHIPPING—OUTWARDS.

NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS of each NATION CLEARED at PORTS in the COLONY of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, in the YEAR 1866.

Nationality of Vessels.	Cleared.								
	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Great Britain	396	124,072	6,162	97	38,016	1,213	493	162,088	7,375
Denmark	3	609	30	—	—	—	3	609	30
France	1	294	10	1	369	13	2	663	23
Hamburg	3	650	31	1	200	10	4	850	41
Norway	1	183	9	—	—	—	1	183	9
Sweden	2	778	29	7	3,505	99	9	4,283	128
United States	1	442	12	2	1,314	31	3	1,756	43
	407	127,028	6,283	108	43,404	1,366	515	170,432	7,649
Great Britain—River Murray	52	4,196	293	—	—	—	52	4,196	293
Total	459	131,224	6,576	108	43,404	1,366	567	174,628	7,942

SHIPPING—*(Continued)*—INWARDS.

TOTAL NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS ENTERED at each PORT in the COLONY of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, in the YEAR 1866.

Names of Ports.	British.									Foreign.									Total.								
	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Port Adelaide	330	116,564	5,623	3	638	26	333	117,202	5,649	19	7,271	244	—	—	—	19	7,271	244	349	123,835	5,867	3	638	26	352	124,473	5,893
" Robe	3	1,080	40	—	—	—	3	1,080	40	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1,080	40	—	—	—	3	1,080	40
" MacDonnell	57	9,193	771	3	415	21	60	9,608	792	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	57	9,193	771	3	415	21	60	9,608	792
" Yankalilla.....	6	687	36	—	—	—	6	687	36	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	687	36	—	—	—	6	687	36
" Willunga	4	697	34	—	—	—	4	697	34	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	697	34	—	—	—	4	697	34
" Wallaroo	80	28,672	895	1	377	13	81	29,049	908	2	917	26	—	—	—	2	917	26	82	29,589	921	1	377	13	83	29,966	934
" Augusta	1	793	35	—	—	—	1	793	35	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	793	35	—	—	—	1	793	35
" Victor	15	2,135	117	—	—	—	15	2,135	117	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	2,135	117	—	—	—	15	2,135	117
	496	159,821	7,551	7	1,430	60	503	161,251	7,611	21	8,188	270	—	—	—	21	8,188	270	517	168,009	7,821	7	1,430	60	524	169,439	7,881
River Murray	51	3,985	334	—	—	—	51	3,985	334	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	51	3,985	334	—	—	—	51	3,985	334
Total	547	163,806	7,885	7	1,430	60	554	165,236	7,945	21	8,188	270	—	—	—	21	8,188	270	568	171,994	8,155	7	1,430	60	575	173,424	8,215

SHIPPING—OUTWARDS.

TOTAL NUMBER, TONNAGE, and CREWS of VESSELS CLEARED at each PORT of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, in the YEAR 1866.

Names of Ports.	British.									Foreign.									Total.								
	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Port Adelaide	247	90,843	4,524	53	22,580	736	300	113,423	5,260	10	2,824	114	8	3,800	111	18	6,624	225	257	93,667	4,638	61	26,380	847	318	120,047	5,485
" Robe	3	1,080	40	—	—	—	3	1,080	40	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1,080	40	—	—	—	3	1,080	40
" MacDonnell	60	9,640	775	1	68	5	61	9,708	780	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	60	9,640	775	1	68	5	61	9,708	780
" Yankalilla.....	9	1,326	59	—	—	—	9	1,326	59	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	1,326	59	—	—	—	9	1,326	59
" Willunga	21	3,532	158	—	—	—	21	3,532	158	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	21	3,532	158	—	—	—	21	3,532	158
" Wallaroo	35	13,326	400	43	15,368	472	78	28,694	872	1	132	7	3	1,588	42	4	1,720	49	36	13,458	407	46	16,956	514	82	30,414	921
" Augusta	1	633	20	—	—	—	1	633	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	633	20	—	—	—	1	633	20
" Victor	20	3,692	186	—	—	—	20	3,692	186	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	3,692	186	—	—	—	20	3,692	186
	396	124,072	6,162	97	38,016	1,213	493	162,088	7,375	11	2,956	121	11	5,388	153	22	8,344	274	407	127,028	6,283	108	43,404	1,366	515	170,432	7,649
River Murray	52	4,196	293	—	—	—	52	4,196	293	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	52	4,196	293	—	—	—	52	4,196	293
Total	448	128,268	6,455	97	38,016	1,213	545	166,284	7,668	11	2,956	121	11	5,388	153	22	8,344	274	459	131,224	6,576	108	43,404	1,366	567	174,628	7,942

SHIPPING—*(Continued)*.

RETURN showing the NUMBER and TONNAGE of VESSELS BUILT and REGISTERED according to LAW, in the PROVINCE of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, to the YEAR 1866, inclusive.

Period.	Vessels built.		Vessels registered.		Registers cancelled.		Vessels belonging to Port Adelaide.	
	Number.	Tons.	Number.	Tons.	Number of vessels.	Tons.	Number on 31st December.	Tons.
Previous to 1850	19	483	79	6,222			—	—
1850	7	190	3	500			—	—
1851	5	146	26	1,667			—	—
1852	3	50	24	2,226	120	10,561	—	—
1853	1	7	35	4,026			—	—
1854	3	77	19	2,612			66	6,692
1855	7	352	17	2,143	8	1,501	75	7,334
1856	7	474	18	1,850	13	1,821	80	7,363
1857	—	—	10	2,271	12	2,341	78	7,293
1858	9	505	20	1,860	19	2,647	79	6,506
1859	2	105	6	384	12	1,397	73	5,493
1860	4	268	12	1,935	10	1,125	75	6,303
1861	4	432	14	2,157	9	871	80	7,589
1862	1	218	8	1,978	7	691	81	8,876
1863	1	19	15	2,225	16	1,715	80	9,386
1864	4	151	23	4,966	9	1,410	94	12,942
1865	8	400	28	4,388	9	1,379	113	15,946
1866	15	948	25	3,052	12	2,477	126	16,521

B. DOUGLAS, Collector of Customs.

TELEGRAPHS.

DECENNIAL RETURN showing the OPERATION of the SOUTH AUSTRALIAN TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

Year.	Number of Stations opened.	Number of Miles.		Number of Messages transmitted.	Receipts.				
		Of Line opened.	Of Wire opened.		Port Line.	North Line.	South-Eastern Line.	Intercolonial Line.	Total.
					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1857	12	37	92	35,792	883 17 2	245 2 6	54 14 2	—	1,183 13 10
1858	17	92 / 337	392	46,716	858 1 0	375 5 2	453 2 11	1,157 16 5	2,844 5 6
1859	19	368	448	64,688	837 10 9	620 4 1	1,055 12 0	3,685 0 8	6,198 7 6
1860	26	529	654½	71,368	992 14 3	1,336 8 11	1,495 5 11	3,590 0 2	7,414 9 3
1861	27	597	914½	76,709	1,093 0 8	1,264 2 4	1,743 5 8	3,282 1 0	7,382 9 8
1862	35	709	1,026½	76,725	886 12 8	1,546 15 8	2,022 7 4	3,591 11 11	8,047 7 7
1863	38	747	1,064	86,411	921 5 0	1,969 13 7	2,026 17 10	3,777 3 8	8,695 0 1
1864	41	766	1,084	106,874	1,023 8 4	2,490 5 2	2,132 1 3	5,696 1 10	11,341 16 7
1865	45	855	1,173	112,344	1,036 1 8	3,018 3 1	2,645 11 7	5,035 18 7	11,735 14 11
1866	58	1,075½	1,565½	121,153	959 3 2	4,099 6 9	2,979 13 4	4,375 13 2	12,413 16 5

CHARLES TODD, Superintendent of Telegraphs.

WAGES—RATES OF.

DECENNIAL RETURN showing the AVERAGE RATES of WAGES in the COLONY.

	1857.	1858.	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.
Domestic Servants, with board and Lodging, ₩' annum—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Males	47 10 0	48 0 0	45 0 0	45 0 0	47 0 0	47 0 0	48 0 0	48 0 0	48 0 0	48 0 0
Females	20 0 0	21 0 0	22 0 0	22 0 0	24 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0
Farm Servants, with board and lodging, ₩' annum—										
Married couples	60 0 0	57 0 0	55 0 0	55 0 0	63 0 0	64 0 0	60 0 0	60 0 0	60 10 0	52 0 0
Single men	47 10 0	45 10 0	45 0 0	46 0 0	47 0 0	48 0 0	48 0 0	48 0 0	48 0 0	42 0 0
Trades, &c.—										
Blacksmiths, without board and lodging ₩' diem	0 10 6	0 12 3	0 10 6	0 10 0	0 11 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
Bakers, with board and lodging "	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 5 3	0 4 7	0 4 6	0 4 6	0 4 6	0 5 0	0 4 6	0 4 6
Bricklayers, without board and lodging "	0 10 9	0 10 6	0 9 9	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0
Brickmakers, ditto ₩' 1,000 bricks	0 16 0	0 16 0	0 14 6	0 14 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	0 12 0	0 12 0	0 12 0
Bullock-drivers, with board and lodging ₩' annum	45 0 0	45 10 0	43 0 0	43 0 0	47 0 0	47 0 0	47 0 0	48 0 0	48 0 0	42 0 0
Butchers, ditto ₩' diem	0 6 6	0 6 6	0 5 6	0 4 7	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 6 0	0 6 0
Carpenters, without board and lodging "	0 11 0	0 10 10	0 9 9	0 9 0	0 9 6	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 9
Cabinet-makers, ditto "	0 10 0	0 10 6	0 9 6	0 9 6	0 9 6	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0
Carriage-makers, ditto "	0 11 0	0 11 9	0 11 6	0 10 6	0 10 9	0 9 6	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0
Coopers, ditto "	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	0 7 6	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 6	0 7 6
Day Laborers ditto "	0 6 3	0 6 0	0 6 6	0 7 0	0 6 6	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 3	0 6 6
Masons, ditto "	0 10 9	0 10 6	0 9 9	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 6	0 10 0
Millers, ditto "	0 11 0	0 11 6	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 11 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	0 9 0	0 8 3
Miners, ditto "	0 8 0	0 7 6	0 6 9	0 6 6	0 7 11	0 6 6	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0
Painters and Glaziers, ditto "	0 8 6	0 8 6	0 9 6	0 9 6	0 9 6	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0
Plasterers, ditto "	0 11 0	0 10 9	0 9 9	0 9 6	0 9 6	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0
Sawyers, ditto ₩' 100 feet	0 11 0	0 10 6	0 11 9	0 11 0	0 11 0	0 10 0	0 11 0	0 11 0	0 11 0	0 11 0
Saddlers, ditto ₩' diem	0 10 0	0 9 6	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0
Shoemakers, ditto "	0 9 0	0 9 3	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 6	0 7 0
Shepherds, with board and lodging ₩' annum	41 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0	40 0 0
Tailors, without board and lodging ₩' hour	0 0 10	0 0 10	0 0 10	0 0 9	0 0 10	0 0 9	0 0 9	0 0 9	0 0 10	0 0 10
Tanners, ditto ₩' diem	0 9 0	0 9 9	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	0 9 6	0 9 6	0 9 6
Wheelwrights, ditto "	0 12 0	0 11 6	0 11 0	0 11 0	0 11 0	0 10 6	0 10 0	0 9 6	0 9 6	0 9 6

WORKS—EXPENDITURE ON PUBLIC.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the EXPENDITURE of the GOVERNMENT of SOUTH AUSTRALIA in connection with PUBLIC WORKS and IMPROVEMENTS.

Year.	Public Works, Buildings, and Improvements, exclusive of Establishments. (General Revenue).	Interest on and Redemption of Loans for Public Works (General Revenue).	Total Payments from Revenue.	Payments from Loans for Public Works.	Total Expenditure in connection with Public Works.
	£ s. d.	£ s.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1857	214,190 16 2	32,597 0	246,787 16 2	184,131 7 8	430,919 3 10
1858	168,110 5 0	65,240 0	233,350 5 0	131,569 8 7	364,919 13 7
1859	245,659 16 4	67,112 10	312,772 6 4	125,341 14 1	438,114 0 5
1860	128,696 11 6	67,315 0	196,011 11 6	127,946 8 3	323,957 19 9
1861	104,510 19 6	50,854 18	155,365 17 6	9,192 1 10	164,557 19 4
1862	134,536 14 0	81,600 0	216,136 14 0	34,299 15 10	250,436 9 10
1863	135,889 8 4	125,985 10	261,874 18 4	13,464 13 8	275,339 12 0
1864	136,674 19 11	92,643 0	229,317 19 11	18,686 4 3	248,004 4 2
1865	223,083 1 10	93,056 0	316,139 1 10	18,654 14 8	334,793 16 6
1866	402,245 17 7	95,830 0	498,075 17 7	20,385 19 6	518,461 17 1
Total	1,893,598 10 2	772,233 18	2,665,832 8 2	683,672 8 4	3,349,504 16 6

The above Return does not include any payments for Public Works or Buildings charged to vote "Miscellaneous Services," nor any expenditure by Municipal Corporations and District Councils out of their Local Revenues, other than Grant-in-Aid of Rates.

AGRICULTURE AND LIVE STOCK.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the EXTENT of LAND under each DESCRIPTION of CROP.

Crops.	Acres under cultivation in Years.									
	1857.	1858.	1859-60.	1860-61.	1861-2.	1862-3.	1863-4.	1864-5.	1865-6.	1866-7.
For Grain—										
Wheat	175,864¾	188,703	218,216	273,672	310,636	320,160	335,758	390,836	410,608	457,628
Barley	10,209½	14,526	13,540	11,336	10,637	10,848	13,980	12,585	9,362	11,723
Maize	—	—	—	32	18	3	10	11	—	—
Oats	2,912	3,934¼	3,858	2,273	1,638	2,310	3,923	5,093	2,872	3,909
For Green Forage—										
Wheat, Barley, Oats, &c.	—	—	—	2,174	1,055	1,107	861	812	2,514	1,192
Maize	48½	31	21½	34	10	9	37	40	—	—
Sorghum	—	—	—	50	43	77	60	130	230	373
Lucerne	889½	1,430½	1,945¾	1,726	1,279	1,269	1,150	856	1,424	1,306
Permanent artificial grasses	—	—	—	1,836	838	390	282	841	3,408	5,027
Peas	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	969	1,853
Other Crops	396¾	642¾	1,261¼	584	434	229	407	222	1,272	353
Hay	37,958¼	45,919¼	55,210	55,818	62,874	73,747	75,590	66,570	101,996	111,339
Potatoes	2,130	2,577½	3,156½	2,348	2,612	2,275	2,468	2,963	2,775	2,526
Orchard	1,058½	1,149¾	1,457¼	2,147	1,750	1,723	2,088	2,288	2,554	2,227
Garden	3,442½	3,922	4,750¼	3,910	3,813	3,570	3,398	3,387	3,919	3,596
Vineyard	1,055½	1,626	2,201½	3,180	3,918	4,777	5,779	6,364	6,629	6,361
Fallow Land	—	—	56,266	67,696	85,112	72,017	110,177	94,777	110,037	130,301
Totals	235,965¾	264,462	361,884	428,816	486,667	494,511	555,968	587,775	660,569	739,714

ABSTRACT showing the AREA of each COUNTY and PASTORAL DISTRICT, the total COUNTRY and SUBURBAN LANDS SOLD, the extent ENCLOSED, CULTIVATED, ENCLOSED but not CULTIVATED, and the NUMBER and DESCRIPTION of LIVE STOCK in SOUTH AUSTRALIA, for the Year ended 31st March, 1867.

Districts.	Area in square miles.	Area in Acres.	Purchased Land to 31st December, 1866.	Extent of Land held by Freeholders.	Land enclosed.	Land under cultivation.	Enclosed, but not cultivated.	Live Stock.					
								Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep (including Lambs).	Goats.	Pigs.	Poultry of all kinds.
COUNTIES—			Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.						
Adelaide	1,161	743,040	591,578	304,313	461,994	182,642	279,352	18,178	23,933	93,897	1,827	22,381	129,271
Gawler	979	626,560	335,811	152,418	216,737	107,534	109,203	4,062	4,466	49,930	149	3,998	26,880
Light	848	542,720	510,583	339,421	402,000	220,649	181,951	10,846	10,880	72,080	285	10,896	71,056
Stanley	1,420	908,800	481,247	351,422	205,300	67,240	136,060	4,536	6,073	297,543	1,319	3,925	20,775
Victoria	1,527	977,280	31,467	22,064	326,070	205	325,865	265	840	248,412	884	61	702
Daly	1,236	791,040	19,982	4,674	4,503	709	3,794	840	429	16,011	633	568	3,298
Frome	1,404	898,560	77,228	60,155	33,382	244	33,138	802	859	147,827	427	185	1,756
Hindmarsh	1,032	660,480	325,026	187,488	264,772	73,342	191,430	7,143	13,223	92,369	286	8,820	35,212
Sturt	1,343	859,520	232,929	144,115	164,233	38,405	125,828	3,333	8,055	118,385	210	3,403	16,554
Eyre	1,340	857,600	119,246	64,022	40,190	12,059	28,131	1,144	1,257	49,042	155	1,116	5,229
Burra	1,767	1,130,880	156,195	105,694	77,997	1,048	76,949	926	683	158,718	340	133	1,484
Young	2,015	1,289,600	690	80	230	—	230	170	180	4,037	21	45	131
Albert	2,136	1,367,040	1,765	—	1,600	—	1,600	37	374	19,000	5	2	90
Russell	1,542	986,880	78,873	64,576	11,613	730	10,883	887	6,769	47,060	146	100	705
Cardwell	1,856	1,187,840	605	1,147	34,302	161	34,141	457	643	57,766	69	27	596
MacDonnell	1,944	1,244,160	6,494	4,199	450,273	1,822	448,451	980	1,414	179,689	15	41	712
Robe	2,028	1,297,920	83,320	70,609	1,085,187	1,325	1,083,862	4,368	4,277	420,414	88	227	2,896
Grey	2,347	1,502,080	334,717	260,534	531,876	28,269	503,607	4,731	17,989	486,703	93	3,226	14,920
Flinders	1,100	704,000	30,051	21,561	32,279	2,174	30,105	1,171	2,074	167,249	92	238	2,691
Total Counties	29,025	18,576,000	3,417,807	2,158,492	4,343,138	738,558	3,604,580	64,876	104,418	2,726,132	7,044	59,392	334,958
PASTORAL DISTRICTS—													
Western District	—	—	84	9	117,142	107	117,035	872	1,949	334,127	293	39	1,773
Northern District	—	—	1,596	645	8,627	—	8,627	2,213	9,409	330,110	1,218	65	1,882
North-Eastern District, or Eastern Plains	—	—	80	80	3,560	52	3,508	1,178	3,794	266,849	790	112	734
South-Eastern District, or Tatiara	—	—	1,507	706	63,912	75	63,837	382	2,354	98,662	107	20	338
Yorke's Peninsula	—	—	1,172	712	1,210	206	1,004	1,178	1,596	140,230	254	24	850
Kangaroo Island	—	—	2,475	1,050	1,500	716	784	130	300	15,500	250	310	950
Total Pastoral Districts	—	—	6,914	3,202	195,951	1,156	194,795	5,953	19,402	1,185,478	2,912	570	6,527
Grand Total, Season 1866-7	—	—	3,424,721	1,161,694	4,539,089	739,714	3,799,375	70,829	123,820	3,911,610	9,956	59,962	341,485
Grand Total, Season 1865-6	—	—	3,210,290	1,970,589	3,854,315	660,569	3,193,746	73,993	158,057	3,779,308	12,283	55,742	377,001
Increase in 1866-7	—	—	214,431	191,105	684,774	79,145	605,629	—	—	132,302	—	4,220	—
Decrease in 1866-7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,164	34,237	—	2,327	—	35,516

ABSTRACT showing the EXTENT of LAND under CULTIVATION, with DESCRIPTION of CROP in each COUNTY and PASTORAL DISTRICT of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, for the Year ended 31st March, 1867.

Counties and Districts.	Land under Cultivation.	Grain Crops.			Hay.	For Green Forage.				Peas.	Other Crops.	Fallow Land.	Potatoes.	Orchard.	Garden.	Vines.		
		Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.		Wheat, &c.	Sorghum.	Lucerne.	Permanent Artificial Grasses.							Acres.	In bearing.	Not In bearing.
COUNTIES—	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.		Number.	Number.
Adelaide	182,642	93,519	3,898	1,010	48,573	528	58	596	60	1,231	91	24,096	1,135	1,456	2,050	4,341	3,991,093	789,816
Gawler	107,534	68,992	1,406	34	8,820	61	—	6	—	8	3	28,085	1	18	50	50	35,276	22,395
Light	220,649	149,214	3,437	133	24,741	254	16	20	89	23	15	41,345	58	166	429	709	776,066	105,461
Stanley	67,240	38,494	531	117	8,146	69	3	3	60	6	104	19,107	14	141	184	261	132,863	117,809
Victoria	205	—	—	—	156	—	—	—	—	—	—	40	—	—	8	1	79	100
Daly	709	6	—	—	345	—	—	—	—	—	—	358	—	—	—	—	—	—
Frome	244	8	2	—	209	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	4	12	2	1,020	180
Hindmarsh	73,342	51,450	944	489	10,669	188	256	380	86	402	93	6,940	369	213	322	541	429,708	172,867
Sturt	38,405	27,010	641	164	4,000	25	—	3	2	154	21	5,812	98	53	154	268	189,936	69,550
Eyre	12,059	8,153	258	5	1,069	26	—	7	—	6	7	2,271	16	46	41	154	122,268	17,470
Burra	1,048	463	10	—	432	—	—	—	—	—	—	114	—	13	13	3	1,675	626
Young	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Albert	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Russell	730	428	37	—	211	—	—	6	—	—	—	40	3	—	5	—	22	222
Cardwell	161	—	—	—	160	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	250	—
MacDonnell	1,822	105	17	1	262	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,410	2	1	23	1	610	62
Robe	1,325	15	2	1	573	2	—	27	599	—	—	23	19	7	51	6	4,333	1,420
Grey	28,269	18,054	305	1,953	2,161	35	40	257	4,131	21	15	169	803	105	213	7	4,356	884
Flinders	2,174	1,265	34	2	412	3	—	1	—	2	4	398	7	4	27	15	7,650	7,210
Total Counties	738,558	457,176	11,522	3,909	110,939	1,191	373	1,306	5,027	1,853	353	130,215	2,525	2,227	3,583	6,359	5,697,205	1,306,072
PASTORAL DISTRICTS—																		
Western District	107	—	—	—	97	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	—	2	—	—	—
Northern District	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
North-Eastern District, or Eastern Plains	52	—	—	—	52	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
South-Eastern District, or Tatiara	75	—	—	—	63	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	1	—	3	—	154	102
Yorke's Peninsula	206	52	1	—	123	1	—	—	—	—	—	20	—	—	8	1	650	—
Kangaroo Island	716	400	200	—	65	—	—	—	—	—	—	50	—	—	—	1	600	600
Total Pastoral Districts	1,156	452	201	—	400	1	—	—	—	—	—	86	1	—	13	2	1,404	702
Grand total, Season 1866-7	739,714	457,628	11,723	3,909	111,339	1,192	373	1,306	5,027	1,853	353	130,301	2,526	2,227	3,596	6,361	5,698,609	1,306,774
Grand total, Season 1865-6	660,569	410,608	9,362	2,872	101,996	2,514	230	1,424	3,408	969	1,272	110,037	2,775	2,554	3,919	6,629	5,255,889	2,105,974
Increase, Season 1866-7	79,145	47,020	2,361	1,037	9,343	—	143	—	1,619	884	—	20,264	—	—	—	—	442,720	—
Decrease, Season 1866-7	—	—	—	—	—	1,322	—	118	—	—	919	—	249	327	323	268	—	799,200

ABSTRACT showing the GROSS PRODUCE of the undermentioned CROPS in each COUNTY and PASTORAL DISTRICT of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, and the AVERAGE PRODUCE per ACRE, for the Year ended 31st March, 1867.

	Gross Produce.							Average Produce per Acre.					Wheat Reaped	
	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Hay.	Potatoes.	Wine.	Grapes.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Hay.	Potatoes.	By Machine.	By Hand.
COUNTIES—	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.	Gallons.	Cwt.	Bush. lbs.	Bush. lbs.	Bush. lbs.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Acres.	Acres.
Adelaide	1,353,974	76,378	25,030	70,103	3,220	568,291	22,951	14 28	19 30	24 31	29	57	80,917	12,582
Gawler	838,769	23,052	865	9,400	2	2,081	152	12 9	16 20	25 18	21	40	68,872	119
Light	2,228,227	72,899	2,650	30,652	95	58,084	2,319	14 55	21 10	19 37	25	33	146 143	3,070
Stanley	585,104	13,554	1,629	10,783	19	8,104	1,316	15 12	25 26	13 37	26	27	38,105	356
Victoria	—	—	—	109	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	—	—	—
Daly	72	—	—	386	—	—	—	12 0	—	—	22	—	—	6
Frome	99	32	—	230	—	—	5	12 22	16 0	—	22	—	—	8
Hindmarsh	671,351	17,202	9,360	12,402	960	59,685	1,726	13 0	18 11	19 6	23	52	37,717	13,744
Sturt	364,969	12,911	2,821	5,148	205	27,455	596	13 30	20 7	17 8	26	42	21,280	5,679
Eyre	125,821	7,482	126	1,280	21	10,453	220	15 26	29 0	25 8	24	26	7,442	711
Burra	3,882	400	—	608	—	—	20	8 23	40 0	—	28	—	445	18
Young	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Albert	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Russell	9,056	908	—	266	3	—	—	21 9	24 27	—	25	20	425	3
Cardwell	—	—	—	199	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	—	—	—
MacDonnell	1,582	390	10	336	3	60	—	15 0	22 47	10 0	26	30	48	57
Robe	345	30	18	888	35	600	40	23 0	15 0	18 0	31	37	—	15
Grey	352,973	6,076	44,591	3,246	1,470	120	—	19 33	19 46	22 33	30	37	4,396	13,633
Flinders	16,139	587	43	588	10	50	72	12 46	17 13	21 20	29	29	1,215	50
Total Counties	6,552,363	231,901	87,143	146,629	6,043	734,983	29,417	14 20	20 6	22 12	26	48	407,005	50,051
PASTORAL DISTRICTS—														
Western District	—	—	—	117	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	—	—	—
Northern District	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
North-Eastern District, or Eastern Plains	—	—	—	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	—	—
South-Eastern District, or Tatiara	—	—	—	88	2	—	—	—	—	—	28	40	—	—
Yorke's Peninsula	1,088	40	—	201	—	—	50	20 55	40 0	—	33	—	52	—
Kangaroo Island	8,000	4,000	—	100	—	—	—	20 0	20 0	—	31	—	130	270
Total Pastoral Districts	9,088	4,040	—	530	2	—	50	20 6	20 5	—	26	40	182	270
Grand total, Season 1866-7	6,561,451	235,941	87,143	147,159	6,045	734,983	29,467	14 20	20 6	22 12	26	48	407,187	50,321
Grand total, Season 1865-6	3,587,800	130,679	42,642	88,731	4,823	839,979	31,707	8 44	13 48	14 34	17	35	356,912	52,949
Increase in 1866-7	2,973,651	105,262	44,501	58,428	1,222	—	—	5 36	6 8	7 18	9	13	50,275	—
Decrease in 1866-7	—	—	—	—	—	104,996	2,240	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,628

ABSTRACT showing the ACREAGE and PRODUCE of the WHEAT CROP in each COUNTY of SOUTH AUSTRALIA, with the AVERAGE YIELD per ACRE, for SEASONS 1862-3, 1863-4, 1864-5, 1865-6, and 1866-7 respectively.

Districts.	Area.					Produce.					Average per Acre.				
	1862-3.	1863-4.	1864-5.	1865-6.	1866-7.	1862-3.	1863-4.	1864-5.	1865-6.	1866-7.	1862-3.	1863-4.	1864-5.	1865-6.	1866-7.
Counties—	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Bsh.	Bsh.	Bsh.	Bsh.	Bsh.	Bsh. lb.	Bsh. lb.	Bsh. lb.	Bsh. lb.	Bsh. lb.
Adelaide	95,902	92,118	100,584	91,786	93,519	1,140,679	1,239,553	1,088,156	854,412	1,353,974	11 54	13 27	10 49	9 19	14 28
Gawler	27,257	34,982	44,858	54,497	68,992	293,659	493,663	456,796	312,972	838,769	10 47	14 6	10 11	5 45	12 9
Light	98,688	113,091	131,126	141,036	149,214	1,177,493	1,629,012	1,366,231	1,072,454	2,228,227	11 56	14 24	10 25	7 36	14 55
Stanley	14,724	16,334	22,211	26,863	38,494	202,934	272,105	303,170	220,999	585,104	13 46	16 39	13 39	8 14	15 12
Daly	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	72	—	—	—	—	12 0
Frome	4	2	—	—	8	82	20	—	—	99	20 30	10 0	—	—	12 22
Hindmarsh	51,529	45,225	50,618	49,987	51,450	584,749	589,422	514,678	540,369	671,351	11 21	13 1	10 10	10 49	13 0
Sturt	19,760	20,782	23,901	24,067	27,010	243,989	243,165	257,719	266,377	364,969	12 21	11 42	10 47	11 4	13 30
Eyre	4,012	4,562	5,379	6,594	8,153	50,795	70,395	59,846	56,488	125,821	12 39	15 25	11 7	8 34	15 26
Burra	289	303	481	367	463	3,136	4,086	5,450	1,300	3,882	10 51	13 29	11 20	3 33	8 23
Russell	16	28	19	63	428	274	370	151	466	9,056	17 7	13 12	7 57	7 24	21 9
MacDonnell	250	62	67	44	105	1,790	805	670	464	1,582	7 10	12 59	10 0	10 33	15 0
Robe	8	5	10	8	15	145	52	155	180	345	18 7	10 24	15 30	22 30	23 0
Grey	6,920	7,336	10,448	13,571	18,054	131,050	131,171	181,541	245,483	352,973	18 56	17 52	17 22	18 5	19 33
Flinders	538	662	872	1,260	1,265	6,294	12,748	13,524	9,761	16,139	11 42	19 15	15 30	7 5	12 46
Pastoral Districts	263	266	262	465	452	4,755	5,352	4,862	6,075	9,088	18 5	20 0	18 0	13 4	20 6
Total of South Australia	320,160	335,758	390,836	410,608	457,628	3,841,824	4,691,919	4,252,949	3,587,800	6,561,451	12 0	14 0	11 0	8 44	14 20

METEOROLOGICAL.

RESULTS of OBSERVATIONS made at the ADELAIDE OBSERVATORY during the YEAR 1866. Latitude, 34° 57′ South. Longitude, 138° 38′ East.

	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	For the Year.
BAROMETER—	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Mean at 9h. a.m.	29·826	29·856	30·010	30·052	29·950	30·116	29·991	30·055	29·913	29·815	29·890	29·870	29·945
Mean at 6h. p.m.	29·772	29·795	29·951	30·005	29·919	30·068	29·949	30·045	29·872	29·745	29·865	29·804	29·899
Highest reading in the month	30·063	30·154	30·247	30·342	30·327	30·472	30·286	30·467	30·188	30·324	30·156	30·111	30·472
Lowest reading in the month	29·516	29·438	29·486	29·711	29·398	29·570	29·509	29·379	29·345	29·245	29·431	29·426	29·245
Range in the month	0·547	0·716	0·761	0·631	0·929	0·902	0·777	1·088	0·843	1·079	0·725	0·685	1·227
TEMPERATURE OF AIR (Dry Bulb Thermometer)—	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
Mean at 9h. a.m.	79·6	80·1	70·3	66·7	58·8	53·2	51·0	54·5	57·2	63·5	67·2	74·7	64·7
Mean at 6h. p.m.	78·1	79·2	70·0	65·1	59·6	53·2	51·7	53·5	55·0	61·4	64·2	72·1	63·6
Mean highest temperature during day	88·7	89·8	82·8	76·3	68·1	61·3	60·6	63·4	66·4	72·6	76·4	85·0	74·3
Mean lowest temperature during night	61·7	64·2	57·7	54·8	52·7	48·1	45·1	45·9	46·9	50·5	52·4	58·6	53·6
Highest temperature in the month	109·5	108·5	105·0	98·0	88·3	67·0	66·5	78·0	80·0	100·0	98·0	105·5	109·5
Lowest temperature in the month	52·0	50·5	47·0	45·3	45·0	38·0	37·8	37·2	40·0	41·8	43·0	48·3	37·2
Range in the month	57·5	58·0	58·0	52·7	43·3	29·0	28·7	40·8	40·0	58·2	55·0	57·2	72·3
Approximate mean temperature of month	75·2	77·0	70·3	65·6	60·4	54·7	52·9	54·7	56·7	61·6	64·4	71·8	64·0
Mean diurnal range	27·0	25·6	25·1	21·5	15·4	13·2	15·5	17·5	19·5	22·1	24·0	26·4	20·7
Greatest range in twenty-four hours	44·5	41·8	43·0	37·0	31·0	26·0	25·0	33·0	33·0	46·0	49·5	43·5	49·5
Least range in twenty-four hours	13·0	14·0	14·5	13·5	7·7	3·0	11·0	10·0	13·6	13·6	14·4	20·7	3·0
TEMPERATURE OF EVAPORATION (Wet Bulb Thermometer)—	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
Mean at 9h. a.m.	63·3	64·2	59·6	57·4	54·4	50·1	48·1	50·3	52·0	55·2	56·2	59·0	55·8
Mean at 6h. p.m.	62·2	63·3	59·3	56·2	54·7	50·2	48·8	49·9	50·6	55·0	55·2	53·6	55·3
Mean highest temperature during day	68·1	68·9	65·8	63·5	60·1	55·8	54·5	56·7	58·0	61·0	61·6	64·3	61·5
Mean lowest temperature during night	56·1	57·5	54·2	51·6	50·4	45·6	43·6	43·6	44·8	47·4	48·7	52·7	49·7
Highest temperature in the month	79·0	79·0	73·3	69·5	68·2	61·0	59·3	66·0	63·8	70·0	70·0	72·0	79·0
Lowest temperature in the month	49·0	49·0	44·0	41·0	43·0	35·0	36·6	36·0	39·0	40·0	41·0	45·3	35·0
Range in the month	30·0	30·0	29·8	28·5	25·2	26·0	22·7	30·0	24·8	30·0	29·0	26·7	44·0
Approximate mean of month	62·1	63·2	60·0	57.6	55·3	50·7	49·0	50·2	51·4	54·2	55·2	58·5	55·6
DEDUCED TEMPERATURE OF DEW-POINT—	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
Mean at 9h. a.m.	52·1	53·4	51·4	49·9	50·5	47·0	45·1	46·2	47·2	48·2	47·5	47·7	48·5
Meam at 6h. p.m.	51·2	52·4	51·0	48·9	50·3	47·2	45·9	46·3	46·4	49·5	47·7	48·4	48·4
Approximate mean of month	52·7	53·5	52·1	51·0	50·9	46·9	45·1	45·9	46·5	47·8	47·6	48·5	48·6
ELASTIC FORCE OF VAPOR—	Inches,	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Mean at 9h. a.m.	0·391	0·408	0·379	0·356	0·367	0·322	0·301	0·312	0·325	0·337	0·328	0·331	0·341
Mean at 6h. p.m.	0·377	0·394	0·375	0·346	0·366	0·325	0·310	0·314	0·314	0·354	0·331	0·341	0·339
Approximate mean of month	0·398	0·410	0·389	0·375	0·373	0·321	0·300	0·309	0·317	0·333	0·330	0·341	0·342
DEGREE OF HUMIDITY (Complete Saturation=100)—													
Mean at 9h. a.m.	39	39	51	56	74	80	80	73	69	58	49	39	55
Mean at 6h. p.m.	39	39	51	55	71	80	80	77	73	65	55	44	58
Approximate mean of month	46	45	52	59	71	74	75	71	69	61	55	44	57
SOLAR RADIATION—	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
Mean of highest readings of Black Bulb Thermometer *in vacuo*, five feet above ground	134·9	139·3	132·6	124·1	110·5	101·6	107·2	111·0	117·4	124·2	130·7	136·0	122·5
Highest reading	155·5	157·0	152·5	143·5	132·0	116·0	113·8	128·5	127·5	147·2	148·8	153·0	157·0
Lowest maximum reading	105·3	109·0	87·0	99·3	64·5	71·5	95·0	85·2	84·5	93·8	112·0	124·9	64·5
TERRESTRIAL RADIATION—	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
Mean of lowest temperature on grass	55·4	54·5	52·4	47·5	47·5	42·7	38·5	41·2	42·4	45·6	47·2	52·4	47·3
Highest minimum on grass	73·0	75·0	64·0	63·0	58·0	52·0	50·0	52·0	55·8	56·2	63·5	69·0	75·0
Lowest minimum on grass	43·0	43·6	40·5	37·0	40·0	26·0	30·5	31·4	32·9	36·0	37·5	41·0	26·0
Mean of lowest temperature on wool	52·6	52·1	50·7	44·8	46·0	40·7	36·1	38·0	40·0	44·0	44·6	49·7	44·9
Highest minimum on wool	71·0	72·6	63·0	61·0	58·1	51·0	49·0	48·0	53·0	53·0	63·0	67·0	72·6
Lowest minimum on wool	40·0	41·2	39·0	34·0	39·0	25·2	26·8	27·4	30·0	34·8	33·0	37·0	25·2
CLOUD (0–10)—													
Mean amount of cloud at 9h. a.m.	3·5	3·2	4·4	5·2	6·1	6·3	4·9	5·1	6·2	5·7	6·0	2·3	4·9
Mean amount of cloud at 6h. p.m.	2·9	3·3	6·1	3·8	5·4	4·4	5·5	4·8	4·9	4·9	4·1	2·7	4·4
WIND—													
Force (0–6)—Mean at 9h. a.m.	0·7	0·5	0·6	0·6	0·6	0·6	0·6	0·7	1·0	1·1	1·0	0·7	0·7
" Mean at 6h. p.m.	0·9	0·8	0·7	0·6	0·5	0·6	0·7	0·7	0·7	0·9	0·9	0·9	0·7
RAIN—	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Fall of rain in the month	1·005	0·535	0·685	0·250	5·135	2·275	3·230	1·945	1·670	2·690	0·583	0·105	20·108
Number of days on which rain fell	5	5	5	3	15	14	16	13	16	12	9	2	115

MEMORANDA.—The barometer was made by Negretti & Zambra; the internal diameter of the tube is 0·5 inch, and by careful comparison with the standard at the Royal Observatory, Greenwich, it appears to have no index error; the correction for capillarity, +0·003 inch, has been applied throughout, and all the readings have been reduced to a normal temperature of 32° Fahrenheit. The height of the cistern above the mean level of the sea is about 140 feet. The thermometers used were made by Negretti & Zambra, and were carefully compared with the Greenwich standards—the index errors being, in each case, very small, have not been applied. They comprise two maximum mercurial thermometers, dry and wet, of Negretti & Zambra's construction; two spirit minimum thermometers; a dry bulb mercurial thermometer, and a wet bulb ditto (mounted on a Greenwich stand, between five and six feet from the ground); a solar thermometer, enclosed in an exhausted glass tube with a large bulb, in the centre of which is the blackened bulb of the thermometer, the thermometer being held in a nearly horizontal position by two light brackets, screwed on to a stout wooden standard, about five feet above the surface of the ground, and is at no time shaded by surrounding objects; and two spirit minimum thermometers, one for grass, and one for wool. The hygrometrical results have been calculated by Glaisher's tables, second edition. The rain gauge is placed on a clear space of ground, and was generally read off at 9h. a.m.

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METEOROLOGICAL—*(Continued).*

SUMMARY of METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS made at the ADELAIDE OBSERVATORY, during the YEARS 1859, 1860, 1861, 1862, 1863, 1864, 1865, and 1866.

	For the Year 1859.	For the Year 1860.	For the Year 1861.	For the Year 1862.	For the Year 1863.	For the Year 1864.	For the Year 1865.	For the Year 1866.
BAROMETER—	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Mean at 9h. a.m.	29·971	29·931	29·894	29·908	29·890	29·945	29·950	29·945
Mean at 6h. p.m.	29·926	29·886	29·854	29·864	29·843	29·893	29·912	29·899
Highest reading in the year	30·437	30·439	30·502	30·461	30·419	30·526	30·503	30·472
Lowest reading in the year	29·320	29·350	29·268	29·297	29·150	29·238	29·212	29·245
Range in the year	1·117	1·089	1·234	1·164	1·269	1·288	1·291	1·227
TEMPERATURE OF AIR (Dry Bulb Thermometer)—	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
Mean at 9h. a.m.	65·3	65·6	63·6	66·4	65·4	64·7	65·2	64·7
Mean at 6h. p.m.	63·0	64·7	63·3	65·2	63·9	63·2	63·5	63·6
Mean highest temperature during the day	73·9	75·2	73·4	75·3	74·2	73·8	74·3	74·3
Mean lowest temperature during the night	51·5	53·6	53·3	54·6	54·1	52·4	51·9	53·6
Highest temperature in the year	110·5	113·7	109·0	115·0	110·2	110·0	113·5	109·5
Lowest temperature in the year	32·3	38·0	35·5	35·3	33·0	39·0	36·0	37·2
Range	78·2	75·7	73·5	79·7	77·2	71·0	77·5	72·3
Approximate mean temperature of year	62·7	64·4	63·4	65·0	64·2	63·1	63·1	64·0
Mean diurnal range	22·4	21·6	20·1	20·7	20·1	21·4	22·4	20·7
Greatest diurnal range	48·3	44·7	44·3	44·0	52·9	44·3	48·5	
TEMPERATURE OF EVAPORATION (Wet Bulb Thermometer)—	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
Mean at 9h. a.m.	57·1	57·9	55·7	57·1	56·2	55·5	55·2	55·8
Mean at 6h. p.m.	56·2	58·1	56·0	56·6	55·8	55·1	54·3	55·3
Mean highest temperature during the day	60·7	62·4	60·1	62·0	61·3	61·0	60·3	61·5
Mean lowest temperature during the night	48·5	50·8	50·4	51·0	50·8	49·7	49·0	49·7
Highest temperature in the year	80·7	83·5	80·0	76·3	80·5	75·0	74·0	79·0
Lowest temperature in the year	32·0	37·2	47·2	35·2	31·5	37·8	36·0	35·0
Range	48·7	46·3	32·8	41·1	49·0	37·2	38·0	44·0
Approximate mean of year	54·6	56·6	55·3	56·5	56·1	55·3	54·7	55·6
DEDUCED TEMPERATURE OF DEW POINT—	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
Mean at 9h. a.m.	50·4	—	49·1	49·6	48·7	48·0	47·3	48·5
Mean at 6h. p.m.	50·4	—	49·9	49·6	49·1	48·3	46·6	48·4
Approximate mean of year	47·7	—	48·5	49·5	49·4	48·7	47·6	48·6
ELASTIC FORCE OF VAPOR—	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Mean at 9h. a.m.	0·366	—	0·349	0·355	0·343	0·334	0·322	0·341
Mean at 6h. p.m.	0·366	—	0·350	0·354	0·347	0·337	0·317	0·339
Approximate mean of year	0·332	—	0·340	0·355	0·351	0·343	0·329	0·342
DEGREE OF HUMIDITY (Complete Saturation=100)—								
Mean at 9h. a.m.	58	—	59	55	54	55	51	55
Mean at 6h. p.m.	64	—	62	56	56	59	54	58
Approximate mean of year	58	—	59	57	59	60	58	57
TERRESTRIAL RADIATION—	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
Mean of lowest temperature on grass	47·0	49·1	48·0	48·4	48·4	46·1	45·8	47·3
Highest minimum on grass	75·4	78·7	69·1	80·0	78·0	73·5	74·0	75·0
Lowest minimum on grass	28·0	24·9	29·2	29·1	28·0	28·8	26·0	26·0
CLOUD (0-10)—								
Mean amount of cloud at 9h. a.m.	4·6	4·9	5·5	5·3	5·2	5·1	4·9	4·9
Mean amount of cloud at 6h. p.m.	3·8	4·2	4·9	4·5	4·6	4·5	4·1	4·4
RAIN—	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Fall of rain in the year	14·460	18·503	24·035	21·851	23·675	19·092	15·506	20·108
Number of days on which rain fell	101	116	147	119	145	111	108	115

DIRECTION of WIND, 1862 to 1866.

Wind.	1862.		1863.		1864.		1865.		1866.	
	9 a.m.	6 p.m.	9 a.m.	6 p.m.	9 a.m.	6 p.m.	9 a.m.	6 p.m.	9 a.m.	6 p.m.
	days.	days.	days.	days.	days.	days.	days.	days.	days.	days.
N.	10	3	25	12	21	4	13	4	16	3
N.N.E.	75	19	54	13	32	10	42	9	38	14
N.E.	55	30	49	26	54	18	84	17	79	31
E.N.E.	21	11	25	9	38	12	16	3	17	7
E.	6	1	9	7	18	5	0	4	4	2
E.S.E.	9	10	10	10	17	11	5	5	13	5
S.E.	21	43	17	38	16	38	25	63	24	67
S.S.E.	13	45	16	33	18	44	14	18	13	23
S.	5	17	13	16	10	16	8	13	8	12
S.S.W.	31	74	20	47	18	53	15	41	15	31
S.W.	47	54	37	64	39	78	71	130	54	95
W.S.W.	11	17	21	19	21	26	12	8	20	21
W.	8	5	16	23	21	17	4	9	13	14
W.N.W.	17	8	13	17	10	7	7	10	10	12
N.W.	7	14	19	14	22	16	30	24	26	21
N.N.W.	29	14	21	17	11	11	19	7	15	7
Mean force 0-6)	0·8	0·8	0·9	0·8	0·8	0·7	0·7	0·8	0·7	0·7

METEOROLOGICAL—*(Continued).*

ABSTRACT showing the TEMPERATURE of the AIR (Dry Bulb Thermometer) at the ADELAIDE OBSERVATORY in each MONTH of the YEARS 1862, 1863, 1864, 1865, and 1866.

Month of the Year.	Mean at 9 a.m.					Mean at 6 p.m.					Mean highest temperature during the day.				
	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.
	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
January	80·9	76·5	75·9	75·6	79·6	81·3	76·0	74·8	73·6	78·1	91·0	87·0	86·5	85·2	88·7
February	75·7	77·0	73·8	74·1	80·1	75·0	75·7	72·8	72·8	79·2	85·9	87·5	84·3	83·9	89·8
March	74·1	73·3	72.2	72·5	70·3	72·2	72·1	69·9	70·8	70·0	85·1	83·8	83·0	83·4	82·8
April	63·7	70·8	65·2	69·2	66·7	61·9	68·4	64·1	66·7	65·1	72·4	80·7	74·7	78·5	76·3
May	58·8	60·7	59·6	56·8	58·8	58·0	60·0	58·6	55·8	59·6	66·6	67·5	68·4	64·8	68·1
June	52·4	54·4	52·4	51·7	53·2	53·5	55·1	52·9	52·2	53·2	60·7	62·7	60·6	62·4	61·3
July	54·6	51·3	51·7	49·8	51·0	55·0	52·7	52·2	51·1	51·7	61·7	60·0	60·3	58·6	60·6
August	55·4	53·3	53·9	55·5	54·5	54·8	53·1	52·6	54·2	53·5	63·6	61·1	60·7	64·4	63·4
September	60·9	58·0	60·9	59·6	57·2	58·4	56·0	58·6	57·2	55·0	68·9	65·2	70·1	67·8	66·4
October	68·7	64·9	63·7	67·2	63·5	65·5	58·7	61.5	62·6	61·4	76·6	72·3	71·5	74·6	72·6
November	74·3	69·6	73·7	76·6	67·2	72·2	66·7	69·8	73·2	64·2	83·4	78·1	82·6	85·2	76·4
December	77·7	75·1	72·8	73·9	74·7	74·3	72·5	70·4	72·3	72·1	87·4	84·3	83·0	82·3	85·0
For the Year	66·4	65·4	64·7	65·2	64·7	65·2	63·9	63·2	63·5	63·6	75·3	74·2	73·8	74·3	74·3

Month of the Year.	Mean lowest temperature during the night.					Highest temperature in the month.					Lowest temperature in the month.				
	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.
	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
January	64·5	61·6	60·0	56·6	61·7	115·0	110·2	110·0	102·6	109·5	49·0	54·1	51·0	49·5	52·0
February	58·8	62·9	58·8	58·3	64·2	103·8	110·3	104·2	101·2	108·5	51·8	53·5	48·5	47·5	50·5
March	61·7	60·7	57·1	57·4	57·7	103·6	100·2	96·5	100·0	105·0	51·0	49·3	50·5	49·5	47·0
April	52 7	57·8	54·8	55·7	54·8	87·3	90·5	91·8	97·0	98·0	47·4	51·0	47·5	46·5	45·3
May	51·2	53·5	50·8	48·1	52·7	87·8	81·5	82 0	75·8	88·3	43·1	46·5	42·0	40·5	45·0
June	46·3	49·0	45·6	44·4	48·1	67·8	68·0	66·0	76·0	67·0	35·3	44·0	40·0	37·0	38·0
July	49·5	46·3	45·1	43·4	45·1	67·6	69·0	65·0	66·0	66·5	41·0	33·0	39·0	36·0	37·8
August	47·4	46·8	45·7	45·0	45·9	82·0	66·7	68·0	80·0	78·0	38·0	39·3	40 0	37·0	37·2
September	50·2	47·5	49·4	48·7	46·9	81·5	75·2	85·3	84·0	80·0	42·1	39·3	40·7	41·0	40·0
October	54·5	50·4	50·2	50·8	50·5	92·0	91·0	88·0	100·0	100·0	42·0	41·6	40·0	41·5	41·8
November	57·5	54·3	55·6	57·5	52·4	101·0	99·0	103·0	113·5	98·0	46·2	43·0	47·0	46·0	43·9
December	61·4	58·6	56·1	56·3	58·6	106·0	105·0	103·0	109 0	105·5	51·0	48·5	47·0	46·8	48·3
For the Year	54·6	54·1	52·4	51·9	53·6	115·0	110·2	110·0	113·5	109·5	35·3	33·0	39·0	36·0	37·2

Month of the Year.	Approximate mean temperature of month.					Mean diurnal range.					Greatest diurnal range.				
	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.
	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
January	77·8	74·4	73·3	70·9	75·2	26·5	25·5	26·5	28·6	27·0	43·7	52·9	42·5	43·8	44·5
February	72·4	75·2	71·6	71·1	77·0	27·1	24 6	25·5	24·6	25·6	39·6	42·0	41·5	38·7	41·8
March	73·4	72·3	70·1	70·4	70·3	23·1	23·1	25·9	26·0	25·1	36 5	38·3	40·8	45·0	43·0
April	62·5	69·3	64 8	67·1	65·6	19·7	22·9	19·9	22·8	21·5	29·1	31·8	38·3	35·8	37·0
May	58·9	60·5	59·6	56·5	60·4	15·4	14·0	17·6	16·7	15·4	30·5	24·6	26·2	27·3	31·0
June	53·5	55·9	53·1	53·4	54·7	14·4	13·7	15·0	18·0	13·2	27·0	21·0	24·0	26·5	26·0
July	55·6	53·2	52 7	51·0	52·9	12·2	13·7	15·2	15·2	15·5	20·6	24·0	24·0	24·0	25·0
August	55·5	54·0	53·2	54·7	54·7	16·2	14·3	15·0	19·4	17·5	26·9	21·0	26·0	35·0	33·0
September	59·5	56·4	59·8	58·3	56·7	18·7	17·7	20·7	19·1	19·5	30·7	26 9	35·3	35·0	33·0
October	65·6	61·4	60·9	62·7	61·6	22·1	21·9	21·3	23·8	22·1	36·5	39·2	33·0	38·8	46·0
November	70·5	66·2	69·1	71·4	64·4	25·9	23·8	27·0	27·7	24·0	43·5	40·0	44·2	48·5	49·5
December	74·4	71·5	69·6	69·3	71·8	26·0	25·7	26·9	26·0	26·4	44·0	41·5	44 3	46·0	43·5
For the Year	65·0	64·2	63·1	63·1	64·0	20·7	20·1	21·4	22·4	20·7	44·0	52·9	44·3	48·5	49·5

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TABLES showing DAYS on which the MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE of the AIR exceeded 90°; together with the MINIMUM TEMPERATURE of the same DAY and RANGE, at ADELAIDE, in the YEARS 1862, 1863, 1864, 1865, and 1866.

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1862.				1863.				1864.				1865.				1866.			
Days of Month.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Range.	Days of Month.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Range.	Days of Month.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Range.	Days of Month.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Range.	Days of Month.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Range.
	°	°	°		°	°	°		°	°	°		°	°	°		°	°	°
3	91·8	—	—	2	94·0	54·1	39·9	2	96·0	58·0	38·0	3	98·7	62·0	36·7	1	91·0	64·5	26·5
4	102·8	60·3	42·5	3	107·0	72·6	34·4	3	105·5	69·5	36·0	4	102·6	78·6	24·0	5	109·5	69·0	40·5
5	106·8	79·8	27·0	4	109·7	78·0	31·7	4	91·5	63·0	28·5	17	90·7	56·3	34·4	6	92·0	86·8	5·2
6	93·1	63·1	30·0	6	95·2	54·8	40·4	7	102·0	62·0	40·0	18	102·0	58·5	43·5	11	93·0	64·0	29·0
7	99·1	61·8	37·3	7	106·0	74·0	32·0	8	110·0	81·0	29·0	19	95·5	65·0	30·5	12	96·0	57·5	38·5
8	110·1	71·2	38·9	8	110·2	77·6	32·6	14	98·0	68·0	30·0	26	91·5	56·5	35·0	15	108·5	64·0	44·5
9	115·0	86·0	29·0	13	93·0	66·0	27·0	18	104·0	66·0	38·0	27	98·5	59·0	39·5	16	105·0	64·0	41·0
12	101·0	58·9	42·1	14	96·3	68·2	28·1	31	100·0	60·0	40·0	28	100·5	62·0	38·5	17	91·0	74·5	16·5
13	111·2	75 3	35·9	21	96·4	62 0	34·4									21	94·9	66·0	28·9
14	115·0	84·5	30·5	22	91·5	67·0	24·5									22	101·0	74·0	27·0
15	95·2	79·3	15·9	31	105·0	60·3	44·7									23	103·0	74·0	29·0
25	100·0	70·7	29·3													24	107·5	73·0	34·5
26	104·0	80·0	24·0													31	91.5	53·8	37·7
27	93·8	68·5	25·3																

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2	103·8	68·7	35·1	1	110·3	74·5	35·8	1	104·2	65·0	39·2	2	90·3	58·0	32·3	3	103·0	67·0	36·0
3	95·5	68·5	27·0	2	104·0	83·3	20·7	14	90·0	65·0	25·0	12	98·0	60·5	37·5	4	106·0	78·0	28·0
4	98·0	71·2	26·8	11	95·7	62·0	33·7	15	96·9	73·2	23·7	13	101·2	70·0	31·2	5	107·7	80·5	27·2
13	96·6	57·0	39·6	12	93·5	69·8	23·7	16	95·8	69·0	26·8	14	98·0	74·5	23·5	7	105·0	76·0	29·0
14	93·0	57 0	36·0	13	101·0	68·0	36·0	17	97·0	73·0	24·0	22	98 2	59·5	38·7	8	108·5	79·0	29·5
23	101·8	62·2	39·6	14	101·0	68·0	33·0	18	95·0	72·0	23·0	23	93·5	61·3	32·2	9	106·0	75·0	31·0
				19	92·0	63·0	29·0					27	96·0	75·0	21 0	10	96·0	—	—
				21	90·0	59·3	30·7									11	96·0	68·5	27·5
				22	106 7	73 0	33·7									16	91·8	53·0	38·8
				23	90·0	73·0	17·0									21	95·5	54·0	41·5
																26	96·0	60·0	36·0
																27	103·8	62·0	41·8

MARCH.

1	92·0	63·6	28·4	1	91·0	56·9	34·1	7	91·8	63·5	28·3	4	98·0	60·0	38·0	2	105·0	69·0	36·0
3	94·8	72·0	22·8	2	93·9	68·8	25·1	8	91·0	66·3	24·7	12	99·0	54·0	45·0	7	93·5	66·0	27·5
4	97·0	70·2	26·8	9	96·0	64·8	31·2	11	96·5	67·5	29·0	21	91·0	56·0	35·0	12	102·0	59·0	43·0
5	90·0	64·9	25·1	12	94·0	63·0	31·0	13	92·0	56·5	35·5	23	91·0	56·0	35·0	17	97·5	63·0	34·5
7	103·6	77·0	26·6	23	91·6	53·3	38·3	14	91·5	63·5	28·0	26	98·0	64·0	34·0	23	91·0	68·0	23·0
8	98·1	74·0	24·1	24	98·0	64·3	33·7	24	92·3	51·5	40·8	27	100·0	64·5	35·5	24	95·0	65·0	30·0
9	93·5	80·8	12·7	25	100·2	71·2	29·0					28	98·8	70·0	28·8	25	99·0	68·5	30·5
19	92·0	62·7	29·3	29	92·7	56·0	36·7												
25	94·0	58·0	36·0	31	92·3	66·6	25·7												
29	91·5	57·1	34·4																

APRIL.

				9	90·5	58·0	32·5	4	90·5	56·0	34·5	3	90·5	62·5	28·0	9	92·0	58·5	33·5
								5	91·0	72·7	18·3	4	95·5	67 6	27·9	10	98·0	61·5	36·5
								12	91·8	53·5	38·3	5	97·0	61·2	35·8	11	92·0	66·5	25·5
												6	91·0	62·5	28·5	23	93·0	64·0	29·0
												7	95·0	60·0	35·0				

OCTOBER.

11	92·0	59·4	32·6	22	91·0	67·0	24·0					23	91·0	58·0	33·0	16	91·5	65·0	26·5
12	92·0	63·2	28·8	25	90·2	51·0	39·2					24	95·5	57·0	38·5	30	100·0	64·0	36·0
13	92·0	68·8	23·2									25	100·C	62·C	38·0				
												30	90·5	51·0	39·5				
												31	95·0	65·0	30·0				

METEOROLOGICAL—*(Continued)*.

TABLES showing DAYS on which the MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE of the AIR exceeded 90°; together with the MINIMUM TEMPERATURE—*(Continued)*.

NOVEMBER.

1862.				1863.				1864.				1865.				1866.			
Days of Month.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Range.	Days of Month.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Range.	Days of Month.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Range.	Days of Month.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Range.	Days of Month.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Range.
	°	°	°		°	°	°		°	°	°		°	°	°		°	°	°
6	93.5	54·0	39·5	14	90·7	58·0	32·7	1	84·7	68·0	26·7	9	92·8	51·0	41·8	4	98·0	57·8	40·2
7	99·0	69·5	29·5	20	91·0	51·0	40·0	6	93·3	56·0	36·0	10	106·5	58·0	58·5	5	94·8	60·0	34·8
13	99·0	68·3	30·7	21	99·0	66·0	33·0	11	94·0	53·6	40·4	18	94·5	52·0	42·5	6	97·5	66·3	31·2
16	90·8	54·0	36·8	24	95·3	70·0	25·3	16	95·2	62·3	32·9	19	103·0	66·0	37·0				
17	101·0	69·0	32·0					17	94·8	62·3	32 5	20	99·2	66·0	33·2				
18	90·2	64·0	26·2					18	99·0	63·3	35·7	21	113·5	77·0	36·5				
19	91·0	72 0	19·0					19	103·0	72·0	31·0	27	92·0	63·0	29·0				
22	93·8	55·8	38·0					29	91·0	51·5	39 5	28	102 0	69·0	33·0				
25	93·0	51·0	42·0					30	95·0	72·0	23·0								
26	98·5	62·0	31·5																

DECEMBER.

1	94·0	67·9	26·1	5	91·0	57·0	34·0	6	90·0	53·5	36·5	4	96·0	50·0	46·0	5	90·0	65·0	25·0
2	94·0	67·9	28·1	6	90·0	62·5	27·5	7	101·5	57·2	44·3	12	96·0	51·0	45·0	7	93·8	64·8	29·0
3	96·0	63·2	32·8	7	94·0	57·0	37·0	8	103·0	76·0	27·0	26	101·0	71·0	30·0	15	103·5	60·0	43·5
4	105·2	72·0	33·2	8	92·0	65·0	27·0	13	98·0	63·5	34·5	27	109·0	80·0	29·0	16	95·0	77·8	17·2
5	94·8	81·0	13·8	9	96·0	57·0	39·0	17	99·0	61·4	37·6	28	98·0	64·0	34·0	18	92·0	58·7	33·3
7	95·0	63·1	31·9	19	97·2	70·0	27·2	22	98 7	55·4	43·3	29	97·5	64·0	33·5	22	97·5	62·8	34·7
17	101·0	58·1	42·9	20	103 5	73·5	30·0	23	101·0	47·0	54·0	31	99·8	63·0	36·8	25	105·5	62·5	43·0
18	102 0	65·0	37·0	28	104·0	70·0	34·0	31	93·2	55·0	38·2					29	92·7	58·0	34·7
19	102·0	71·4	30·6	29	105·0	79·0	26·0									30	96·0	83·2	32·8
20	95·5	75·0	20·5	30	97·0	71·0	26·0									31	100·5	63·0	37·5
23	91·7	57·0	34·7																
29	92·7	53·5	39·2																
30	92·0	58·0	34 0																
31	106·0	71·9	34·1																

The following TABLE shows the NUMBER of DAYS on which the MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE of the AIR exceeded 90° at MOUNT LOFTY, with the MINIMUM TEMPERATURE of the same DAY, and RANGE, as recorded by ARTHUR HARDY, Esq., J.P.

Date.	Temperature of the Air.		Range.	Date.	Temperature of the Air.		Range.
	Maximum.	Minimum.			Maximum.	Minimum.	
	°	°	°		°	°	°
1860—				1862 *(contd.)*—			
January 5	92	72	20	January 8	98	70	28
" 6	94	74	20	" 9	104	78	26
" 11	91	58	33	" 10	94	82	12
" 20	103	66	36	" 13	98	76	22
" 21	104	80	24	" 14	104	76	28
" 22	104	82	22	" 26	92	71	21
February 24	92	66	26	December 31	92	62	30
" 25	92	72	20				
December 13	92	66	26	1863—			
				January 3	94	64	30
1861—				" 4	92	66	26
January 8	92	68	24	" 7	90	50	40
" 9	94	79	15	" 8	92	72	20
" 10	99	66	22	" 14	94	60	34
" 22	92	71	21	" 31	94	60	34
March 11	91	76	15	February 1	94	72	22
" 12	94	79	15	" 2	100	76	24
" 13	98	78	20	" 14	92	66	26
				1864—			
1862—							
January 5	96	78	18	January 8	98	74	24

N.B.—It has been found by observation, that the minimum at Mount Lofty is nearly reached at about 10 p.m., whilst the minimum at Adelaide is not reached until shortly before daylight.

The maximum temperature of the air exceeded 90° at Adelaide—1859 51 days; 1860, 54 days; 1861, 45 days; 1862, 57 days: 1863, 47 days; 1864 40 days.
Ditto ditto at Mount Lofty " 4 " " 9 " " 7 " " 8 " " 9 " " 1 "

METEOROLOGICAL—*(Continued).*

TABLE showing RAIN-FALL as registered at various places in SOUTH

Months.	Angorichina, Far North, Mr. H. C. Swan, J.P.		Kanyaka, Far North, Mr. James Watson.		Port Augusta, Mr. Hiram Mildred.						Poonindie, Port Lincoln, Rev. Dr. Hammond.		Mount Remarkable, Mr. G. S. Altsebrock.		Ketchowla, Mr. Hillary Boucaut.		Bungaree, Mr. W. L. Beare, J.P.			
	1866.		1866.		1864.		1865.		1866.		1866.		1866.		1866.		1865.		1866.	
	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.
January ..	3	2.270	3	0·350	5	1·030	0	0·000	4	0·335	4	0·510	—	1.010	2	1·380	0	0·000	2	0·346
February..	1	0.270	6	1·080	2	0·018	0	0·000	3	0·500	3	0 830	—	0·750	2	0·751	0	0·000	4	0·533
March	2	0·600	3	0 840	1	0·005	0	0·000	3	0.680	4	0·840	—	* —	5	0·997	3	0·555	4	1·096
April	2	0.030	1	0·080	4	0 080	2	0·214	1	0·120	2	0·240	—	—	1	0·112	4	0 832	1	0·611
May	7	1·200	5	1·450	5	0·259	7	0 805	8	1.380	10	2,690	—	—	7	0·477	17	2·152	12	2·493
June	6	0·740	4	0·560	10	0·369	2	0·035	5	0.387	8	1.620	—	1·180	9	0·766	6	0·777	10	2·166
July.....	4	0·330	4	0·560	4	0·120	7	0·535	5	0.357	13	2.770	—	1.250	9	0·489	11	2·886	12	2·495
August ..	8	1.150	5	0·420	9	0·785	2	0·075	5	0.248	11	2.270	—	1.160	8	1·640	9	0·899	11	1·662
September	2	0·150	3	0·290	4	0·405	1	0·010	3	0.110	9	1·600	—	—	5	0·409	11	2·052	6	1·216
October ..	5	0.970	6	1·840	6	1·080	3	0·055	7	0.970	10	1·440	—	2.110	*—	—	4	0·319	12	2·910
November .	4	1.240	2	0·880	1	0·110	2	0·285	5	1.075	8	0·300	—	0·240	3	0·812	1	0·250	5	1·888
December .	2	0.690	0	0·000	2	0·500	2	0·090	1	0.005	2	0.090	—	—	0	0·000	6	0·236	0	0·000
Totals ..	46	9.640	42	8.350	53	4·761	28	2·104	50	6.167	84	15·200	—	—	—	—	72	10·958	79	17·416

TABLE showing RAIN-FALL as registered at various places in SOUTH

Months.	Kapunda, Mr. W. H. Darwin.						Gawler, Mr. D. G. Sands.						Adelaide Observatory.						Brookside, Mr.	
	1864.		1865.		1866.		1864.		1865.		1866.		1864.		1865.		1866.		1865.	
	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.
January ..	3	0·990	3	0·050	5	0·200	2	1·440	0	0·000	2	0·620	2	2·030	1	0·015	5	1·005	1	0·028
February..	6	0·640	5	0·070	4	0·340	4	0·485	4	0·175	3	0·450	2	0·170	5	0·260	5	0·535	7	0·288
March	1	0·010	6	0·515	8	0·541	0	0·000	7	0·735	2	0·340	0	0·000	5	0·955	5	0·685	8	1·051
April	11	1·190	5	0·950	3	0·500	9	1·730	4	0·556	2	0·780	8	1·187	5	0 675	3	0·250	9	1·126
May.....	13	0·925	13	3·145	14	3·075	11	1·670	10	2·354	12	2.910	14	2·935	17	2·653	15	5·135	16	2·732
June	15	1·340	6	0·940	16	1·820	20	3·070	7	0·970	12	1·670	16	2·782	9	1·229	14	2·275	9	1·250
July.....	15	1·705	18	3·230	16	3·230	15	2·120	13	3·540	14	3·340	16	3·120	17	5·380	16	3·230	17	5·211
August ..	16	3·600	9	1·400	13	2·430	19	3·485	8	1·635	12	2·615	22	4·483	16	1·402	13	1·945	13	1·472
September.	9	1·140	12	1·960	14	1·660	10	1·560	9	1·810	12	2·300	14	1·340	18	1·917	16	1·670	17	2·143
October ..	12	2·190	5	0·180	15	3·210	11	1·980	2	0·120	12	3·100	7	1·390	5	0·460	12	2·690	7	0·366
November .	2	0·070	3	0·210	8	0·805	1	0·020	3	0·330	9	0·876	1	0·100	4	0·260	9	0·583	3	0·067
December .	1	0·040	5	0·580	0	0·000	2	0·100	3	0·250	0	0·000	9	0·215	6	0·300	2	0 105	8	0·447
Total....	104	13·845	90	13·230	116	17·811	104	17,660	70	12 475	92	19·001	111	19·752	108	15·506	115	20·108	115	16·181

TABLE showing RAIN-FALL as registered at various places in SOUTH

Months.	Goolwa, Mr. A. Baldock				Mount Barker, Miss Gower.						Charleston, Mr. J. W. Disher.				Strathalbyn, Mr. H. G. Watson.					
	1865.		1866.		1864.		1865.		1866.		1865.		1866.		1864.		1865.		1866.	
	No. of days	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.
January ..	1	0·040	2	0·220	1	1·090	2	0·055	6	1·455	2	0·050	3	0·905	4	0·905	2	0·090	2	0·755
February..	4	0·127	3	0·427	5	0·355	7	0·245	5	0·845	6	0·205	5	0·955	4	0·435	6	0·075	3	0·490
March	5	0·360	3	0·220	3	0·105	7	0·875	10	0·552	5	0·785	6	0·645	1	0·080	3	0·430	5	0·280
April	6	0·271	4	0·320	16	1·589	9	1·317	8	0·309	8	1·945	4	0·635	15	0·890	4	0·365	2	0·620
May.....	18	2·860	15	4.520	14	3·178	24	4·369	20	4·737	21	5·350	16	4·805	12	2·620	20	3·340	10	4·025
June.. ...	9	1·837	11	1·381	20	3·877	16	2·798	15	2·785	9	1·765	17	3·890	20	1·685	12	1·505	8	1·140
July	12	3·785	16	2·173	19	3·607	21	4·947	20	6·207	21	6·095	15	6·610	15	1·605	12	3·805	15	4·100
August ..	10	1·292	12	1·463	26	4·698	14	2·903	17	4·906	16	2·910	19	4·575	24	3·165	14	1·420	13	2·315
September.	12	1·660	12	1·470	15	1·830	20	3·070	16	3·908	17	3·800	12	3·650	11	0·817	12	1·970	13	1·795
October ..	7	0·968	13	1·563	19	2·818	6	0·650	17	4·693	10	0 645	12	4·520	14	1·790	7	0·495	11	2.130
November .	3	0·025	12	1·799	4	0·280	3	0·300	13	1·415	4	0·310	5	1·325	0	0·000	2	0·060	7	1·580
December .	6	1·142	2	0·063	9	0·322	8	0·597	1	0·085	8	0·655	1	0·290	4	0·510	7	0·445	3	0·470
Total ..	93	14·367	105	15·619	151	23·749	137	22·126	148	31·897	127	24·515	115	32·805	124	14·502	101	14·000	92	19·700

* No returns.

METEOROLOGICAL—*(Continued).*

AUSTRALIA, during the YEARS 1864, 1865, and 1866.

Clare, Mr. G. Bell.				Kooringa, Mr. W. H. Challoner, J.P.						Auburn, Mr. H. H. McKirdy.				Wallaroo, Mr. J. Beaton.				Hamilton, Dr. Engelhart.			
1865.		1866.		1864.		1865.		1866.		1865.		1866.		1865.		1866.		1865.		1866.	
No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.
0	0 000	3	0·420	3	0·665	0	0·000	5	0·150	0	0·000	2	0·180	0	0·000	1	0·180	4	0·015	5	1·000
1	0 170	4	0·580	4	0·164	2	0·034	6	0·986	3	0·090	7	0·650	2	0·015	3	0·385	7	0·311	8	0·890
1	0·030	5	1·050	1	0·062	6	0·438	5	0·931	6	0·880	4	0·720	3	0·665	5	0·650	6	1·025	9	1·020
3	1·200	2	0·630	7	0·924	8	0·864	3	0·283	6	0·780	2	0·350	4	0·510	1	0·275	8	1·750	3	0·730
15	2 550	10	2·640	11	0·942	18	1·604	12	1·333	15	2·650	12	3·010	6	1·495	12	4·480	13	3·495	14	3·560
8	1·305	12	2·510	15	2·703	9	1·093	16	2·194	6	1·740	13	2·130	4	0·600	8	1·410	11	1·845	14	2·160
11	4·310	15	3·640	17	1·341	15	2·627	18	2·648	17	3·660	12	3.360	10	1·990	12	1·213	17	4·750	15	5·030
6	1·250	7	2·810	19	2·252	8	0·979	16	2·772	10	1·960	10	2·890	7	0·853	5	1·180	11	2 070	16	2·560
9	1·810	5	1·489	13	1·301	12	2·109	11	1·751	15	2·790	6	1·720	7	1·165	5	0·715	14	2·770	12	1·795
6	1·050	13	4·980	14	2·565	5	0·166	15	3·354	3	0·440	12	3·680	1	0·290	11	2·298	7	0·660	14	4·340
1	0·040	5	1·990	1	0·218	2	0·234	7	1·135	3	0·260	3	1·490	2	0·170	1	0·430	3	0·410	8	1·230
3	0·350	1	0·007	4	0 838	4	0·168	2	0·061	4	0·250	0	0 000	2	0·275	0	0·000	5	0·510	1	0·040
64	14·065	82	22·746	109	13·975	89	10·316	116	17·598	88	15·500	83	20·180	48	8·028	64	13·216	106	19·611	119	24·355

AUSTRALIA, during the YEARS 1864, 1865, and 1866 *(continued)*.

J. A. Scott.		Sunnyside, Hon. W. Milne, M.P.				Mount Lofty, Mr. Arthur Hardy, J.P.						O'Halloran Hill, Major O'Halloran.				Willunga, Mr. H. R. Pounsett.					
1866.		1865.		1866.		1864.		1865.		1866.		1865.		1866.		1864.		1865.		1866.	
No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.
3	0 820	1	0·020	2	1·095	3	2·790	2	0 060	—	1·430	1	0·020	4	0·690	3	1·475	0	0·000	3	0·241
5	0·488	3	0·115	4	0·440	3	0·410	6	0·580	—	1·020	9	0·230	4	0·360	5	0·087	9	0·247	6	0·405
7	0 675	5	1·075	6	0·740	1	0·060	6	2·340	—	1·300	8	1·330	9	0·740	1	0·010	7	1·051	6	0·729
4	0·276	5	0·630	4	0·295	10	3·610	8	1·620	—	0·730	9	0·550	4	0·420	15	2·022	10	0·848	5	0·399
18	4·974	13	2·675	18	5·235	11	6·140	14	6·350	—	7·050	18	2·400	17	5·710	17	3·861	20	3·683	20	6·385
16	2·640	7	1 560	15	3·275	15	6·210	7	3·350	—	6·230	12	1·990	17	2·900	19	2·650	16	2·238	16	3·698
21	3·743	17	6·195	13	4·495	13	7·260	14	8 860	—	9·920	18	5·830	20	3·850	17	2·549	21	5·590	19	7·106
14	2·099	12	1·845	14	2·460	18	9·460	10	3·310	—	9·040	13	1·570	12	2·640	25	5·090	16	2·203	17	3·547
18	2·290	15	2·230	14	2·190	9	3·810	—	3·450	—	4·000	15	2·260	17	2·510	16	1·438	17	3·057	17	2·697
14	2·924	8	0·665	13	3·430	12	5·700	—	2·730	—	5·470	9	0·630	16	3·140	16	2·368	11	0·763	19	3·714
7	0·837	1	0·085	8	0·740	2	0·290	—	0·060	—	1·520	4	0·340	8	0·840	2	0·050	2	0·185	11	1·349
2	0·077	8	0 485	1	0·080	8	0·600	—	1·450	—	0·120	6	0·360	4	0·070	8	0·419	8	0·539	3	0·216
129	21·843	95	17·580	112	24·475	105	46·340	—	34·160	—	47·830	122	17·510	132	23·870	144	22·019	137	20·404	142	30·486

AUSTRALIA, during the YEARS 1864, 1865, and 1866 *(continued)*.

McGrath's Flat, Mr. Wm. Attiwill.				Robe Town, Guichen Bay, Mr. J. A. G. Little.						Mount Gambier, Mr. G. H. C. Mann.						Penola, Mr. John Fletcher.					
1865.		1866.		1864.		1865.		1866.		1864.		1865.		1866.		1864.		1865.		1866.	
No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days.	Inches.	No. of days	Inches.
0	0·000	3	0·695	3	0·274	0	0·000	4	0·730	7	0 845	7	0·125	5	2·240	7	0·800	3	0·070	3	1·620
8	0·235	3	0·210	6	1·232	13	0·394	5	0·488	8	1·590	12	1·370	4	0·530	5	1·075	15	0·775	4	0·450
8	0·725	7	0·450	0	0·000	10	1·582	7	0·788	5	0 100	10	1·380	9	1·295	2	0·530	8	2·200	8	0·985
8	0·585	5	0·500	20	2·353	10	1·028	11	1·749	11	1·190	14	1·238	9	1·669	14	3·030	8	0·720	6	2·320
15	2·325	9	4·650	18	3·169	23	3·843	21	5·623	18	2·980	23	8·080	18	4·790	13	1·690	17	5·220	17	4·520
14	1·715	11	1 720	21	2 737	17	2·186	18	2·405	21	3·285	18	3·790	15	2·020	17	2·170	14	2·975	17	3·565
15	2·545	14	3·540	21	5·058	20	3·873	18	4·256	21	5·795	21	3·815	16	3·015	16	4·215	16	4·480	16	2·645
11	1·840	9	1·580	23	4·654	18	2·762	16	2·370	23	6·155	20	4·855	19	6·660	21	4·270	14	4·560	18	4·240
11	1·705	12	1·880	18	1·662	13	2·497	21	2·505	19	2·235	16	3·575	18	4·050	14	2·435	13	2·560	15	2·710
5	0·445	14	3·106	15	1·482	13	0·738	11	2·180	23	2·865	19	1·525	14	3·545	14	1·950	4	0·810	14	2·975
1	0·025	8	1·310	5	0 255	6	0·600	13	1·925	13	0·580	9	0·730	10	2·905	7	0·535	7	0·380	6	0·865
9	0·715	2	0·070	7	0·595	15	1·005	5	0·340	15	1·160	15	2·240	4	0·340	8	0·980	12	1·295	3	0.170
105	12·860	97	19·621	157	23·471	158	20·508	150	25·359	184	28·780	184	32 723	141	33·059	138	23·680	131	26·045	132	27·065

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STATISTICAL VIEW OF THE PROGRESS OF SOUTH

Year.	Population.	Number of Inhabitants in City of Adelaide.	Number of Inhabitants in Country Districts.	Births.	Marriages.	Deaths.	Convictions in Supreme Court.	Flour Mills.	Lands sold in each year.	No. of Acres under cultivation.	Live Stock.		
											Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep and Lambs.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Acres.	Acres.	No.	No.	No.
1836	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	{ 58,995 1,920 }	—	—	—	—
1837	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,711	—	—	—	—
1838	6,000	—	—	83	75	67	—	—	48,040	—	—	—	—
1839	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	170,841	—	—	—	—
1840	14,630	8,480	6,141	355	186	320	47	—	15,565	2,503	959	16,052	166,770
1841	—	—	—	—	—	—	37	—	7,651	6,722	—	—	—
1842	—	—	—	377	76	143	36	—	17,081	19,790	—	—	—
1843	—	—	—	934	140	158	31	16	1,887	28,690	1,576	20,000	331,000
1844	* 17,366	6,107	11,259	671	110	140	21	21	5,022	26,918	—	—	—
1845	21,759	—	—	708	141	238	22	24	49,658	26,218	—	—	—
1846	* 22,390	7,413	14,977	937	220	360	40	26	59,402	33,292	2,000	60,000	700,000
1847	31,153	—	—	994	346	495	31	25	34,003	36,440	—	—	—
1848	38,666	—	—	1,239	311	509	45	25	29,200	48,911	—	—	—
1849	52,904	—	—	1,605	255	839	16	—	56,611	44,983	—	—	—
1850	* 63,700	14,577	49,123	2,174	233	986	93	27	64,949	64,728	6,488	100,000	1,000,000
1851	66,538	—	—	2,759	189	973	103	—	82,590	—	—	—	—
§1852	68,663	—	—	2,727	726	1,098	†37	—	86,672	—	—	—	—
1853	76,050	—	—	2,774	1,020	1,275	73	40	213,321	—	—	—	—
1854	83,550	—	—	3,451	1,002	1,346	69	60	213,925	129,692	—	—	—
1855	* 85,821	18,259	67,562	3,944	953	1,663	77	—	171,610	—	—	—	—
1856	103,422	—	—	4,488	1,172	1,147	85	70	187,451	203,423	22,260	272,746	1,962,460
1857	109,917	—	—	5,183	1,218	1,304	73	70	177,600	235,965	26,220	310,400	2,075,805
1858	118,340	—	—	5,672	1,173	1,859	75	71	158,015	264,462	34,629	—	—
1859	122,735	—	—	5,738	1,045	1,923	93	75	188,065	361,884	40,471	—	—
1860	* 124,112	—	—	5,568	1,031	2,336	78	78	129,262	428,816	49,399	278,265	2,824,811
1861	* 126,830	18,303	108,527	5,551	1,158	1,962	62	76	147,354	486,667	52,597	265,434	3,038,356
1862	135,329	—	—	6,075	1,189	1,918	64	77	129,910	494,511	56,251	258,342	3,431,000
1863	140,416	—	—	5,966	1,152	2,221	86	77	159,791	555,968	59,008	226,166	3,891,642
1864	147,341	—	—	6,208	1,291	2,565	70	75	224,171	587,775	62,899	204,892	4,106,230
1865	156,605	—	—	6,672	1,436	2,174	134	80	316,477	660,569	73,993	158,057	3,779,308
1866	* 163,452	23,229	140,223	6,782	1,299	2,753	107	77	‡214,429	739,714	70,829	123,820	3,911,610

* Excepting as regards the years marked thus *, in which the Census was taken, the number given is the population as estimated at the close of each year.
† Local Courts established.
‡ Total extent of land alienated, 3,426,292 acres.

Chief Secretary's Office, Adelaide, 1867.

AUSTRALIA, FROM THE YEAR 1836 TO 1866, INCLUSIVE.

Shipping.				Export of Produce of the Colony.					Value of				
Inwards.		Outwards.				Wool.							
Number.	Tonnage.	Number.	Tonnage.	Breadstuffs, Grain, &c.	Minerals and Metals.	Quantity.	Value.	Total Exports of Produce (including Sundries).	Total Exports.	Total Imports.	Revenue.‖	Expenditure.‖	Year.
				£	£	lbs.	£	£	£	£	£	£	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1836
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1837
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	770	5,040	6,442	158,582	—	—	1838
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	350	9,165	16,039	346,649	—	—	1839
206	35,791	219	47,996	—	—	—	8,740	15,650	32,079	303,357	30,199	169,966	1840
96	17,799	101	19,237	—	—	641,825	35,485	40,561	104,647	288,348	26,720	104,471	1841
73	12,499	77	12,855	—	—	528,032	22,036	29,079	75,248	147,349	22,074	54,444	1842
51	7,532	53	8,001	—	127	1,159,574	45,563	66,160	80,858	109,137	24,142	29,842	1843
71	9,639	68	8,850	—	6,436	819,897	42,769	82,268	95,272	118,915	27,878	29,453	1844
114	13,795	111	12,763	—	19,020	1,331,888	72,235	131,800	148,459	184,819	36,182	32,099	1845
142	25,473	136	24,031	—	143,231	2,042,195	106,510	287,059	313,838	330,099	48,017	37,207	1846
150	31,761	151	30,880	—	174,017	1,114,862	56,130	275,115	350,348	410,825	67,027	58,979	1847
215	46,640	197	44,316	—	320,624	2,170,793	93,582	465,878	504,068	384,326	82,911	80,129	1848
277	80,623	272	75,297	—	219,775	2,585,512	108,539	373,842	402,853	599,518	108,301	82,637	1849
284	86,583	275	87,872	38,312	365,464	3,266,017	131,731	545,040	570,817	845,572	238,982	239,080	1850
259	74,757	279	80,245	73,359	310,916	3,694,672	148,036	540,962	602,087	690,777	222,558	183,506	1851
366	101,666	373	100,841	212,566	374,778	2,714,504	115,877	736,899	1,787,741	798,811	243,174	140,047	§1852
437	131,994	432	128,923	257,144	176,744	4,607,281	236,020	731,595	2,241,814	2,336,290	539,754	239,783	1853
476	146,666	471	143,868	316,217	94,831	3,463,760	182,419	694,422	1,322,822	2,147,107	595,355	422,408	1854
361	114,982	350	110,941	236,400	155,557	5,590,171	283,479	636,953	988,215	1,370,938	453,641	689,696	1855
430	113,661	437	116,729	556,371	408,042	8,236,221	412,163	1,393,867	1,665,740	1,366,529	479,977	579,926	1856
486	140,373	484	141,995	755,840	458,839	9,695,203	504,520	1,744,184	1,953,572	1,623,052	455,210	538,212	1857
374	93,802	367	93,589	525,393	373,282	7,775,225	420,833	1,355,041	1,512,185	1,769,351	469,637	528,772	1858
402	111,436	390	104,692	554,265	411,018	9,496,715	484,977	1,502,165	1,655,876	1,507,494	511,927	620,756	1859
324	100,681	338	103,355	499,102	446,537	11,731,371	573,368	1,576,326	1,783,716	1,639,591	438,327	492,656	1860
401	103,196	387	96,135	712,789	452,172	13,164,391	623,007	1,838,639	2,032,311	1,976,018	558,586	482,951	1861
374	105,231	392	111,290	633,241	547,619	13,229,009	635,270	1,920,487	2,145,796	1,820,656	548,709	579,331	1862
440	127,667	446	127,826	747,116	542,393	15,566,787	715,935	2,095,356	2,358,817	2,028,279	631,700	635,205	1863
617	160,095	619	161,293	1,464,593	691,624	16,092,095	775,656	3,015,537	3,305,545	2,412,931	775,837	626,688	1864
619	183,102	601	174,188	1,228,480	620,112	16,269,890	821,482	2,754,657	3,129,846	2,927,596	1,089,128	790,504	1865
524	169,439	515	170,432	645,401	824,501	19,739,523	990,173	2,539,723	2,858,737	2,835,142	949,774	1,064,323	1866

The figures previous to 1850 have been procured from the best available sources; where blanks occur, the information was not attainable.
§ The effect of the gold discoveries is indicated in the years immediately following 1851. ‖ Land Fund included since 1849.

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